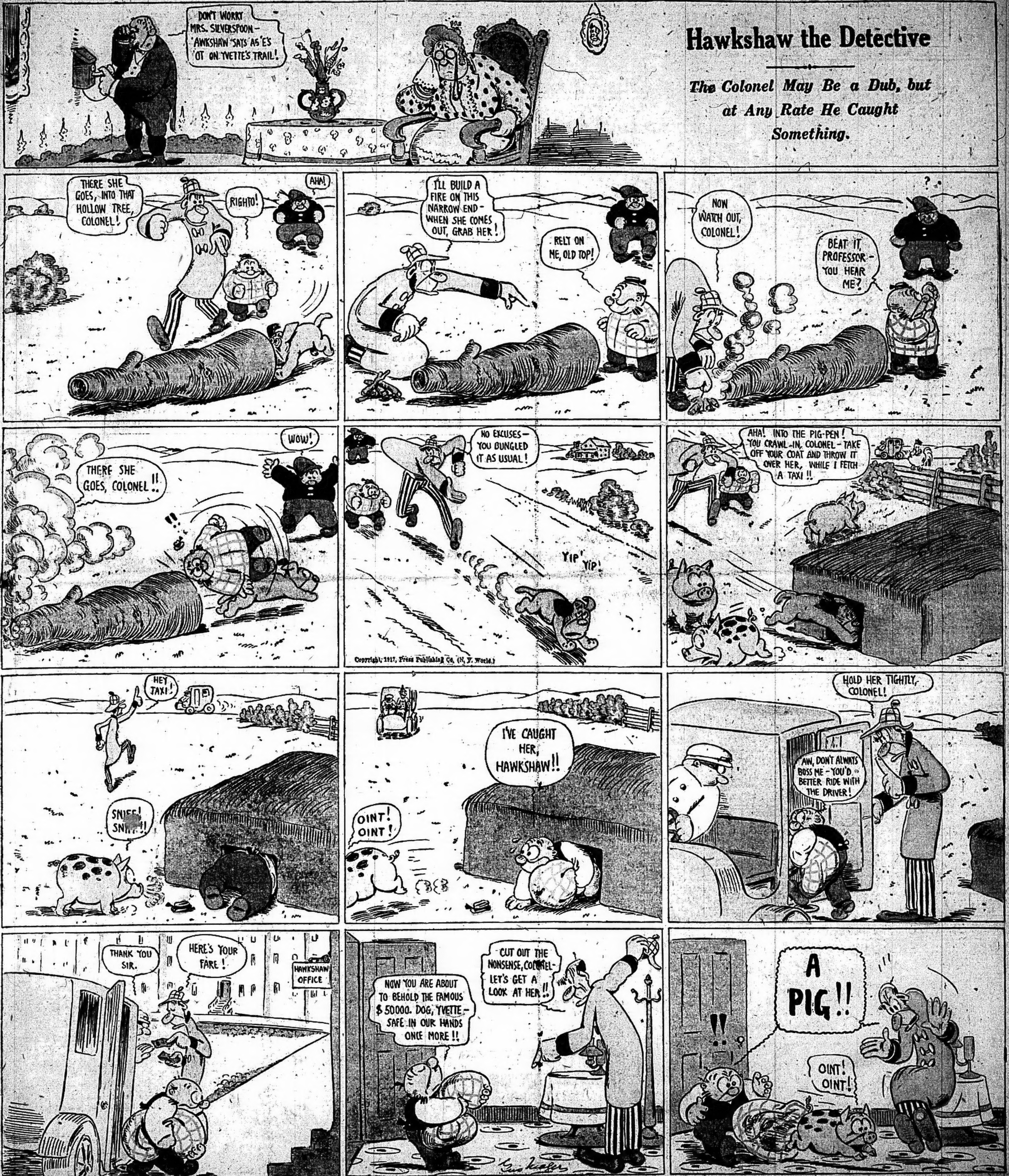


## THE AURORA SUNDAY BEACON-NEWS

SUNDAY, APRIL 15, 1917.

## Hawkshaw the Detective

The Colonel May Be a Dub, but  
at Any Rate He Caught  
Something.



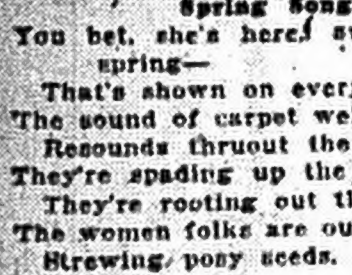


Neither War nor  
Politics

By "PUT"



Thwarting of the Demon.  
The devil tried to injure me  
By chopping down my apple tree;  
But he did not injure me at all.  
For we had apples all that fall.



Spring Song.  
You bet, she's here! Sweet, gentle  
singing.  
That's shown on every hand.  
The sound of carpet walking  
Resounds through the land.  
They're spading up the garden;  
They're rooting out the weeds;  
The women folk are out in front  
Strawing, piling seeds.

In early perching-down we fear  
A deal of time is lost;  
For oft the night comes cold and  
bleak.  
To nip things with its frost.  
All kinds of birds are fluttering;  
The hens are prone to cackle;  
While John is up in the back loft  
In quest of fishing tackle.

They're juggling chairs out on the  
porch.  
In the evening there to sit;  
But if they try to linger long  
They'll shiver quite a bit.  
Still, we all feel quite strenuous  
When first warm days appear.  
And try to make the most of spring.  
For she comes but once a year.

Yes, the spring months are with us,  
but the real warmth lingers yet to  
the southward. The fellow who grows  
too enthusiastic, and wanders forth  
without his overcoat, is quite apt to  
get the sniffles and require three  
handkerchiefs per diem.

While it is not generally realized,  
this protracted chill is the best cir-  
cumstance that could happen. While  
it is a trifle disagreeable to the one  
who desires to don a light suit and  
laughfully meander it is an assurance  
of fruit in the later months.

You are all aware this is the year  
when a big fruit yield is predicted,  
and if the chill will only hold the  
buds back until the season is ad-  
vanced beyond the frost possibility,  
then we may adjust our mouths for  
strawberry nipping.

The McCredeists intimate McCrede  
has given short cut weights.  
And while the poor voter going to  
do is compelled to read this condemn-  
ing stuff, it is bolstered by the strug-  
gling advocates of both sides, and sup-  
port of each is demanded.

The respective parties device addi-  
tional abuseful tactics, against the  
opposition, and glass-eyedly specu-  
late on the outcome, and vainly at-  
tempt to assure and console. Mean-  
while,

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By this abuse, one opposing faction  
renders the other more determined  
and active, and the tactics used serve  
to drive fair-minded ones into the  
enemy camp.

Those who are aware of the most  
effective methods of campaign sup-  
port tactics, realize the clean razor-  
like methods, wherein ridicule weak-  
ens the enthusiasm of friends, is  
much preferable to the bludgeon-  
wielding, where the opposition girds  
up its loins, collects its cohorts about  
it and retaliates with increased ven-  
geance.

When I once published a paper, the  
Weekly Blade, the enemy re-  
sented it with them in opposi-  
tion to the "Hop-Hod-and-Frazier"  
local combination and political frame-  
ups in general. By the way the can-  
didate advocated by the Blade almost  
invariably was elected by the people.

I ask nothing of either side and  
their defeat success would beget  
nothing of value personally to me.  
I would simply pray that bludgeons  
of abuse be laid aside; that the past  
be buried in the vaults of oblivion,  
and a party be placed in action that  
would promise for the future and  
see to it improvements needed for  
our city are carried out. Meanwhile,

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News in Brief  
To Release Smallpox Victim—  
James Moyer, smallpox patient, who  
has been isolated in a shed in the  
rear of the city hall for the past  
month, will be released from quaran-  
tine Monday. It was announced yester-  
day by Dr. George Schwabach, city  
health commissioner. Moyer, who was  
taken ill while working as a track  
laborer for the Burlington railroad,  
has completely recovered.

of Downer place. It might be sus-  
picioned, in thus lauding him, I was  
trying to elevate the locality of  
Pietz hill, by booming its inhabitants.

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The present municipal political  
campaign is run much on the basis  
of preceding contests of the order in  
Aurora.

Instead of promises of improve-  
ments to our city and machinery had  
been offered to get out of the order  
of the past.

The Harlemites are pointing the  
finger of contemptuous recollection  
to the fact the old Aurora police  
were a gang of city hall letter-  
ers.

The McCrede backers aver the  
present police department winks at  
second-floor resorts and holds a de-  
manding hand extended, with the  
warning injunction to "come across."

The Harlemites call attention to the  
fact the old administration compos-  
ing the McCrede backers, furnished  
our people with stone quarry drink-  
ing water, and even forbid the use  
of this on lawns.

The McCredeists reproachfully de-  
clare the city pumping machinery had  
been allowed to get out of repair  
it failed to do service against recent  
floods.

The Harlemites sneer that the old  
crowd simply got up public events to  
brace up the saloon administration  
contributors and that the city  
failed to do public improvement effort.

The McCredeists accuse the Har-  
ley crowd of grafting, and robbing  
the public in the present water ser-  
vice and of various other grafting  
tactics.

The McCredeists hint at Harley  
selling spotted fish to the poor  
crunching and gnawing at their  
seasons of maturing.

By the way, particular care should  
be taken to thoroughly cleanse before  
eating in an uncooked condition, most  
of these fruits if they are raised near  
the ground. Particularly should the  
be the case in instances where fertili-  
zers are used, the character of which is  
not strictly considered. Typhoid  
germs are liable to be generated, and  
the eater is imperiled.

That typhoid disease is not wholly  
dependent on the use of shallow  
wells, subject to the drainage of un-  
sanitary surface surroundings, was  
made quite evident to Arthur Healy,  
a year or so ago. He had been scrup-  
ulous about his water supply for  
drinking purposes, using only the dis-  
tilled quality, and still he had been strick-  
en with a fever, and he could logically lay  
the calamity to be the crunching of  
celery, stripped from the stalk, which  
he had secured at a grocer's stand.

Arthur Healy seems to be a chosen  
victim of adversity in the line of dis-  
cussants. At the present time Healy is  
not personally afflicted with a dis-  
order, but the house maid is down  
with scarlet fever, and Arthur is  
obligated to stay away from the pre-  
mises. If he would mingle with out-  
side mortals, or even immortals, in  
the way of business. You know,  
Healy is one of our most esteemed  
undertakers, and if he had exposed  
himself he would hesitate to perform  
duties around the body of a departed  
one who had never had scarlet fever.

Mr. Healy is making his home at  
present with his son, Paul. The  
father still appears hearty and well  
conditioned, and he is retold enough  
of the way that Paul Healy is one of  
the most manly and agreeable young  
men in this whole town, altho per-  
haps I should not say this, with in-  
considered we are both residents

## SHABBONA

Mrs. William Wallace of Aurora is  
visiting her daughter, Mrs. Noah Ol-  
son, and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. John Borgen of  
Hinckley were guests at the John  
Mullins home Sunday.

Members Charles Houghtby and  
Charles Houghtby spent Saturday and  
Sunday with relatives in Aurora.  
Mr. and Mrs. James Kirby and lit-  
tle daughter motored to Genoa Sun-  
day where they visited relatives.

Mrs. Isabel Moore, who visited her  
son, Dr. F. B. Moore, and wife, re-  
turned to her home in Hinckley  
Monday.

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## FOR CITY CLERK

WALTER CARLSON

Qualified by Training  
and Experience

Your Support Will Be Appreciated at the  
City Election, Tues., April 17, 1917

HALVER LEEK IN  
HOSPITAL CORPS

Son of the Rev. and Mrs. J. D.  
Leek Enlists for Service  
in the War.

Hopes to Pass the Examination and  
Leave for the Front  
Very Shortly.

Batavia, Ill., April 11.—Halver  
Leek, the son of the Rev. and Mrs.  
J. D. Leek, telegraphed his parents  
today from Decatur saying that he  
had enlisted and would enter the hos-  
pital corps and that in case he passes  
the examination will leave as soon as  
he is needed.

Young Leek has been attending  
Milliken university at Decatur and  
is in his third year. He has made  
splendid grades while attending  
school. He was home for his Easter  
vacation two weeks ago and at that  
time told his friends that in case war  
was declared he planned to go to the  
front.

At the meeting of Batavia lodge  
Friday night, the candidates were  
given the vote in the first rank and  
another added to the "waiting list."  
A large crowd was in attendance to  
witness the work of the first rank  
team. Several members of Aurora  
lodge K. of P. were present and made  
interesting remarks. The second rank  
team will be in attendance Friday  
evening. After the regular meeting,  
a company of "recruits" for the uni-  
form rank were given a half hour of  
"military tactics" by Major Hopkins.  
These drills will take place every Fri-  
day evening, immediately after the  
regular work.

Arrangements were also made to  
attend the twenty-second district  
convention, which will be held at  
Genoa Thursday afternoon and eve-  
ning, April 26. It is expected that a  
large number of the Pythians of Ba-  
tavia, as well as from Aurora, Elgin,  
Joliet, and Marengo, will be in  
attendance. Grand Chancellor John  
J. Reeve of Jacksonville will be in  
charge. Edwin Bowman was elect-  
ed representative to the conven-  
tion. Clerk W. H. Reaney is the sec-  
retary-treasurer of the twenty-second  
district association.

Funeral of P. J. Engstrom.  
The funeral of P. J. Engstrom will  
be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock  
at the Bethany Lutheran church. The  
burial will take place at the West  
Batavia cemetery. The Rev. Phillip  
Thelander, pastor of the Lutheran  
church, will officiate.

From Decatur, Cigrand.  
The results of the patriotic ratifi-  
cation meeting held at the high  
school Monday evening, under the au-  
spices of the American Flag Day as-  
sociation is making itself manifest in  
various ways.

The Batavia high school boys had  
petitioned the school authorities for  
the privilege of receiving military  
training but were refused; immedi-  
ately after the ratification meeting  
the "boys" filled with American spirit  
it petitioned in earnest for this drill  
and the school, principals and su-  
perintendents as well as the school  
board having personally wit-  
nessed and shared in the demonstra-  
tion on Monday's "ratification," did  
on Friday grant that the boys could  
take the training. Equal to the re-  
sponse Colonel Fabyan offered the  
drill master, Serg. Michael  
Timmins, of Riverbank Villa, reported  
at the high school and immediately  
put the boys thru the drill. Some-  
thing unusual in the fact that nearly  
sixty boys are registered for both the  
training. We congratulate the school  
authorities and the boys for their  
enthusiasm and performing a most creditable  
work in the interest of their coun-  
try.

Monday next at 8 o'clock sharp, at  
the city hall, all persons desiring mil-  
itary training or wishing to enlist in  
the service or join the "Batavia vol-  
unteer reserve corps" will be afford-  
ed the opportunity. All boys who  
contemplate joining the Boy Scouts  
may also be present and instruction  
and information will be given them.  
Also if any citizens wish to lend fi-  
nancial aid to the government ar-  
rangements will be perfected and  
proper officers selected to discharge  
the duties. The boy scouts (many of  
them) are without scout suits and  
these little patriots should not only  
be encouraged but assisted in every  
way possible.

The American Flag Day association  
having the endorsement of all pres-  
idents of the United States since  
Cleveland's time and the emphatic  
good will of President Woodrow Wil-  
son and a score of governors and  
hundreds of mayors deserves our en-  
thusiasm and cooperation. A meet-  
ing for the Batavia ladies who wish  
to render patriotic work, in either  
flag making or other essential dom-  
estic lines will be called, and notice  
given in The Beacon-News.

Sincerely,  
B. J. CIGRAND,  
National president American Flag  
Day Association and Captain Co.  
11, National Security League.

Church Notice.  
Evangelical Zion church, F. Teles,  
pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m.,  
preaching by the pastor both at 11

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HOPE PASTOR IS  
TO ACCEPT CALL

The Rev. C. D. Brower Thanks  
Congregational Church Peo-  
ple for Their Invitation.

Writes That He Will Mail an Of-  
ficial Reply the First of  
the Week.

Genoa, Ill., April 14.—Miss Stella  
Buckingham has received a letter  
from the Rev. C. D. Brower of Chicago  
telling her to extend a vote of thanks  
to the committee extending him a  
call to come to this city to take  
the pastorate of the Congregational  
church. In his letter he says that the  
first of next week he will mail an  
official answer to the church com-  
mittee, but does not state in his  
letter of today whether he has de-  
cided to accept the call.

The people here are very anxious  
that a letter be sent to him at once  
insinuating that he give this call care-  
ful consideration. Mr. Brower made a  
host of friends when he was here on  
the two occasions, and the peo-  
ple are anxious to secure him as  
a pastor. He is a graduate of  
Oberlin college and has taken a post-  
graduate course at Yale and is a  
brilliant speaker. His health failed  
him two years ago and he has not  
been in charge of a church for the  
past two years but has been at work  
in the McClurg drug store. Now that  
he has regained his health he has  
been a candidate for the pastorate of  
several churches. Among those ex-  
tending him a call is a Congrega-  
tional church in Jacksonville, Fla.,  
and it is thought that he may be  
considering this proposition.

Last evening the Luther league of  
the Swedish Lutheran church has  
a social in the parlors of the church.  
The evening passed in a social man-  
ner and several musical selections  
were enjoyed. Ellis Lindgren gave a  
violin solo, Elbert Pike rendered a  
piano number and Miss Marion Moon  
also gave a piano solo. The social  
committee of the league served re-  
freshments.

Italian Media Under Ban.—Post-  
master L. A. Stoll has been advised  
by the federal authorities to an-  
nounce that the Italian postal au-  
thorities have put mail shipments of  
durable goods under ban. This  
includes all sorts of merchandise  
except house hold trade goods. If  
any goods are shipped by mail to Italy  
they must be sent under interna-  
tional parcel post rules and packed  
accordingly. These regulations may  
be obtained at the post office.

Maple Park  
Mrs. John Kennedy and sons of  
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Mrs. Charles Conlon will hold a  
sale of stock and farm machinery at  
the home of the Lincoln filling sta-  
tion Saturday afternoon.

Dr. McNair Volunteers.—Dr. Francis  
McNair of Sugar Grove, formerly of  
Aurora has offered his services to the  
government for the medical depart-  
ment of the army or navy.

Elgin Merchants Plan Gardens.—  
George E. Peck and five real-estate  
men of Elgin announced today that  
they will have cultivated a tract of  
land of six acres, all expenses to be  
paid by them, for growing corn and  
other foodstuffs. They will distribute  
the products to the poor of Elgin free  
next fall.

been spending the winter months in  
an apartment in Chicago have re-  
turned to this city and opened their  
home.  
Mrs. Edmund Raftery has gone to  
New York city for a stay of ten days.  
Dow Harvey has returned to New  
York city.

Mrs. Logan Grifley, who was re-  
cently operated upon at the Michael  
Reese hospital in Chicago, is doing  
nicely and will return to her home  
soon.  
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Crissey are here  
from Chicago and are spending the  
month at the Dodson home. They  
have rented an apartment in Chicago  
which they plan to occupy after the  
first of next month.

Mrs. Blanche Morganthaler who  
has been staying at the Annex in  
Chicago for the past month has  
opened her home in Batavia avenue.  
Edward Anderson who was opera-  
ted upon at the Colonial hospital for  
appendicitis is getting on nicely.  
Mrs. Charity Stevenson has re-  
turned from an extended stay in Los  
Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. J. C. Long entertained a  
coterie of women at her home this  
afternoon. Mrs. Mae Blackman Can-  
non sang a group of songs and the  
hostess served tea at 5 o'clock.

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DEMANDS BELL  
AT THE CROSSING

County Highway Engineer G. W.  
Lamb Warns St. Paul Officials  
of Dangerous Crossing.

Read and Bridge Committee of the  
Superior Board for Im-  
mediate Action.

St. Charles, Ill., April 14.—Formal  
request for warning devices at the  
crossing of the St. Paul railroad near  
St. Charles was made today to G. W.  
Lamberson, division superintendent. In  
a letter written to him by the county  
highway engineer, G. W. Lamb. This  
was suggested at the meeting of the  
road and bridge committee of super-  
visors held yesterday afternoon,  
which was called by Mr. Lamb on ac-  
count of the fatal accident at the  
railroad crossing last Sunday when  
Mrs. Emma Coates and children were  
killed.

The suggestions made by Mr. Lamb  
were that an electrical gong or bell  
be placed at a distance designated by  
the railroad company, that the two  
crossing sign boards be erected by  
the township highway commissioners  
1,000 feet on each side of the cross-  
ing and that two additional warning  
boards bearing "Danger Zone, Drive  
Slow" be placed 300 feet each side  
of the crossing.

The supervisors have warned the  
railroad of this dangerous crossing  
and will now insist that some im-  
mediate action be taken.

There are a number of young wom-  
en who are making plans to go to  
Genoa to enter the course of train-  
ing given in connection with the first  
aid work under the outline of home  
nursing and diet.

The class for first aid on Tuesday  
nights in Genoa now numbers 25 and  
that is the maximum number that can  
enroll in this class. On Friday eve-  
ning there is a class of 34 but it will  
be impossible to take the examina-  
tions, in case one lesson has been  
missed and as five lessons are al-  
ready finished the young women have  
been urged by Dr. R. G. Scott to wait  
until the class of home nursing is  
started which he assures them will be  
within the next ten days.

There is to be a banquet served at  
the Swedish Lutheran church Thurs-  
day evening by the Friendly Society.  
This is an annual event and follow-  
ing the banquet there will be made  
by the women of the society.  
The Rev. F. C. Neils, pastor of the  
Congregational church, will be in  
charge of the meeting of the Con-  
gregational church club, at Batavia  
April 22 and 23. This is the suc-  
cession including Elgin and Aurora  
and other Congregational churches  
of the Fox river valley.  
Miss Grace Snow will entertain  
the Golden Rule club at her home  
Friday afternoon, April 20.  
E. T. Phillips is home from Grand  
Rapids, Mich., where he has been for  
the past week.  
Mrs. E. P. Baker and Mrs. Nina  
Carlson Baker have returned from  
Vandell where they were called on  
account of the death of H. A. Stone,  
a prominent business man, who has  
returned from Chicago where he went  
to visit his aunt, Mrs. L. J. Jones.  
Mrs. W. E. Constant has gone to  
Topeka, Kas.  
Miss Edna Krause had a few  
friends at dinner last evening in hon-  
or of her birthday.  
J. J. Daly and Otto Fredson have  
gone to Hot Springs, Ark., where they  
will stay for the next two weeks.  
Eccentric Farmer a Visitor.—  
Charles Sauder, 85 years old, owner  
of property worth \$10,000, who lives  
in the vicinity of Kaneville, was an  
Aurora visitor yesterday. Sauder, who  
wears rubber boots at all seasons of  
the year, visits Aurora regularly. De-  
spite his great wealth he has only  
worn one pair of shoes in his life.

Dr. J. G. Turner  
10 South River Street  
Twelve years practice in-  
sures the most satisfactory  
Dental  
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## SPRING APPAREL



## Skirts

The Silk Skirt—a Law  
Unto Itself

Gathered or pleated, with pocket  
or without, gray or gay, stripes  
or plaids, in khaki kool designs or  
plain color—they are all delight-  
ful and fill a place in every spring  
wardrobe. See our display.

WOOL SKIRTS—In checks,  
plaids and plain serges, splendidly  
tailored models.

## The Blouse

An Exquisite Suit Accessory

TUB SILK BLOUSES—delicate  
stripes in colors, tailored and de-  
lightfully practical, \$2.50.

CREPE DE CHINE—In hair  
line stripes, tailored models, white  
vests and collars, \$5.

In plain colors—tucked, hem-  
stitched or embroidered, \$2.95 to  
\$6.95.

GEORGETTE BLOUSES—Ex-  
quisite in material, these blouses  
are made in the newest models,  
with bead or silk embroidery, \$5.95  
to \$15.

Graduation  
Dresses

It is not too early for you to look  
over our remarkable showing of  
graduation dresses—hats and  
lawn—beautifully designed and  
finished, \$5 to \$25.

## Monday Specials

SILK SKIRTS—Unusu-  
al values in sports models  
—of satin striped taffetas,  
newest designs. Regular  
\$8 to \$12 skirts, \$5.95.

BLOUSES—Of silk lace,  
\$3 values, one to a custo-  
mer, \$1.49.



Costumes Reflect Colors of Spring

Budlong Hats for Mid-  
summer

Light, fluffy, flower trimmed models are  
now on display—a delight to the lover of  
superior Millinery.

High  
Class  
Sport  
Hats in  
Your  
Color



Children's  
Hats  
With  
Style  
Moder-  
ately  
Priced

## Frocks

Silk-Fabrics Cleverly  
Combined

Some simple little pleated mod-  
els in crepe de chine, \$12.50.

IN STRIPED SILK—High  
waisted models, a variety of col-  
orings, \$17.50.

TAFFETA—Handsome taffeta  
gowns in a wealth of colors, with  
cord, metal embroidery, soutache  
and cordings as trimmings, \$25.

CHARMEUSE AND GEORG-  
ETTE—Showing clever use of  
beads, buttons and contrasting  
facings, \$35.

## Silk Suits

The Every Occasion Garment

Silk Suit weather is promised,  
and we have a splendid assortment  
for the early shopper.

IN PLAIN COLORS—they are  
handsomely lined and trimmed,  
with little individual touches in  
girdles, pockets, cuffs and collars.  
Silk poplins, Gros de Londres and  
satin are the popular fabrics.

IN STRIPES AND NOVEL-  
TIES, there are also well designed  
models, very serviceable. Prices  
\$25 to \$65.

## Outfit the Children

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Coats - Suits - Skirts  
Dresses - Blouses

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Sports model dresses—  
smart combinations of  
crepe de chine and khaki  
kool poplin. Excellent style  
and value—in rose, green  
and tan, \$24.95.

SILK SUITS—Satin  
striped suits in several  
combinations of color, \$30  
values at \$12.95.

The Style Shop  
23 South Broadway







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Must Excel the World—  
Schools Open for Training.

### USE SLOW MACHINES FIRST

(The International News Service.)

New York, April 14.—Uncle Sam's new army must have the best aviators in the world. This is the order that has come from Washington, and the army schools throughout the country are striving to carry it out.

There are many obstacles and discouragements, fast scout planes are almost non-existent this side of the Atlantic, but the standard already reached means a vast advance over the condition exposed in the United States (Cal.) and in the investigation of not so long ago and the pitiful exhibition of the Pershing expedition's early days.

Army officers do not attempt to assert that our machines and bird-men are equal to the crack flyers of the Lafayette Escadrille, for instance, but they believe that by the time the Yankee youths are offering battle to the Germans over the plains of Flanders they will make an excellent showing against the best of the Kaiser's intensions have to offer.

A trip out to the big government flying school on Hempstead Plains, near Mineola, L. I., shows a scene of bustling activity, a beehive of industry, which has speeded up even over its former strenuous pace in the last few days.

At the entrance to the field a stately private, an automatic on his hip, challenges the visitor and scrutinizes closely the papers shown. A stop through the gate discloses inside the fence a scene to rejoice the heart of the small boy—a vast expanse, on which great mechanical falcons purr and skip, now rising into the clouds and now descending, swiftly and gracefully, to the level turf.

Buildings of type Framing the picture are rows of aeroplane sheds, or hangars, barracks, machine shops, offices and other rough buildings, which have mostly been knocked into shape in the last few weeks.

Scores of students and mechanics bustle around and over the winged monsters, oiling, plying the wrench, making tests and seeking the slightest flaw for every flying machine must always be in the top notch of condition.

Some of them are garbed in the heavy, blanket-lined leather coats worn in the intensely cold upper levels of the air, where one dare not expose a bit of his face to the gale. They have a helmet, with chin and mouth guard, to protect them. Others wear the close-fitting olive drab shirt and breeches and leather puttees of earth duty.

Trimness, promptness, youthful vigor characterize every one. There are no drones here. All are life and vitality. Only the picked of physique are allowed in the air service, and the atmosphere seems to make the blood tingle, like the zest of an October football field.

War will probably soon change the conditions here in many ways—indeed, some differences are already noticeable from the peace days. But most of the students are still paying their way—and not a small price either. After passing his flying test a student must turn over a \$500 tuition fee and \$300 more is due on final examination. The student must weigh not more than 120 pounds, be under 25 years of age, and must furnish evidence of having a college education and be a good moral character.

The pick of the land intellectually and physically is the raw material of the field. Out of such promising novices Uncle Sam makes finished birdmen in three months—and now even this brief training period may be cut down.

The captain in command of the field explains the course of instruction:

"After the student has passed his preliminary physical examination and has had the mechanism of the machine drilled into him, we turn him

over to an instructor, who takes him up on a joy ride as a passenger. He goes up about 3,000 feet the first time. When he becomes, during subsequent flights, accustomed to the swift rush of the air aloft, so disconcerting to the novice, he is permitted to handle the controls himself, but the instructor is there to correct any errors very promptly.

"In turn he is passed from one to another of the instructors until four have had him, and then they make four separate reports on him. After that we begin his training in real earnest, as we have learned that whether he is cut out to be an aviator.

Half Hour Lesson Daily.

"We have found that a student cannot assimilate more than half an hour's lesson aloft in a day; that is, he does not profit by a longer lesson. So when he comes down he is put to work at the mechanics of the job, dismantling and assembling his engine, detecting trouble, making such repairs as he might be called on to make if he had to descend for cause during a flight. We give him text books on motors, too, and something about aero-dynamics, and teach him how to observe the earth as it lies under him.

"It may seem strange, but it requires some time and not a little practice to enable a man to make the earth beneath him match the configurations of it represented on the map he carries up in his machine. He has to learn compass work, how to keep a course in a fog or when the earth is blotted out by clouds, and how to reckon his side-slip in a cross wind. And every now and then, when he's on the earth and isn't looking, we put his motor out of business and let him find out what's the matter with it."

When the young aviator is competent to handle his machine he is introduced into more complicated work, scouting and maneuvering.

For instance, on a recent day a motor car was sent on a devious ten-mile journey over the little frequented Long Island roads. Its top was broadly striped in black and white, but otherwise it could not be told from the tens of thousands of other cars which are constantly on the move over the island.

Twenty-four army aeroplanes went up to seek the car. Twenty-one left here and three came from the government school at Governor's Island, New York City.

The car with the striped top represented the head of an army convoy. The aviators were to detect the head of the supposed column while the latter was still far from its objective, the aviation field, for there must be time to make the imaginary artillery attack upon it effective.

For the problem the map of Long Island near the flying field was divided into twenty-four sectors, one being given to each scout. The lucky man who found the car whirled back, the field in short order and Mineola was saved.

In another problem three fast L. W. F. tractors were sent to far distant points, which was not disclosed to the students, and there sent up as scouts of an enemy bent upon taking photographs of the Mineola field. The students were to locate three machines and drive them back by heading them off. They did this with ease.

It is probable that the army aviators who recently searched the waters near Monauk Point for the two German U-boats falsely reported to be lurking there, came from the Mineola field, but the military censorship prevents this being said for certain.

Lack Swift Machines.

Not all the tests attempted work out well, because real swift machines are lacking. The slower machines do not stand up so well in a gale, although otherwise easier to manage. It is understood the fastest machines now at the field are the L. W. F. tractors, capable of 75 miles an hour. British and French scouts make 135 and 138 miles an hour. The new Moraine-Saulnier, according to Mine

Ruth Law, the flying woman, make 130 miles an hour. Aeroplanes make slower, are useless on the western European battle front.

Students are training to fly at Mineola on the rocky J. N. Curtiss biplanes, which go at the snail's pace of 75 miles an hour.

However, it is taken for granted that the deficiency in fast machines will soon be remedied. All the art of aeroplane building in France and British have learned in nearly three years of warfare will be placed at the disposal of their new ally. Commissions of Anglo-French flying men and builders are on their way here to assist the United States army in manufacturing and to teach the latest tricks of the trade to our aviators.

In the meantime the American flying men are doing the best they can. Six o'clock in the morning is the hour for reporting, and only darkness ends the restless day.

The Mineola school is officially an aviation section of the Signal Officer's Reserve Corps. Civilian volunteers enter as sergeants and become lieutenants in the reserve on passing their examinations. These "exams" are not to be sniffed at. Here are some of the things the young collegians must do:

He must climb out of a field 2,000 feet square and attain an altitude of 500 feet while keeping all parts of his machine within the square; he must cut off his motor at a height of 1,000 feet and land within 200 feet of a designated point; he must land on an assumed obstacle ten feet high and come to rest within 1,500 feet of it; he must fly for forty-five minutes at an altitude of 4,000 feet.

"The psychology of this flying business is so far as the students are concerned," says the commandant of the field, "is a singular thing. In considering it you must put fear out of the reckoning. The students are never frightened. The fact of the matter is that they go into it thinking that it's a daredevil job. Then they go up and they're disappointed—it isn't the daredevilery they thought at all. So what do they do? They tend to go to the other extreme right away and we have to keep them from killing themselves with sheer recklessness. We have to teach them with every ounce of ability we possess that if they make the one slip they seem determined to make it will be the very last slip they'll ever make."

Never a Serious Fall.

It is the boast of the school that it never has had a serious accident.

## DR. COFFEE WILL VISIT AURORA Tuesday, April 17



### He Will Treat New Patients One Time Free

Dr. W. O. Coffee, the noted oculist and aurist of Des Moines, Iowa, will make his next visit to Aurora, at the Bishop hotel, Tuesday, April 17. He will see patients from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. all day. Remember the date and send word to people you know suffering with eye, ear, nose and throat troubles. He will make return visits every two weeks.

Dr. Coffee invites every person suffering with any kind of disease or weakness of the eyes, falling sight or blindness to see him and let him treat them one time free to see if his new Absorption-Massage Treatment won't cure their eyes. He has restored sight to many blind people and cured scum, growths, granulated lids, sore eyes, and made weak eyes strong so they could throw away their glasses. If you have floating spots or pain over eyes or sight growing weak, try this treatment once free. He particularly invites every person afflicted with deafness, loss of hearing or head noises. No matter how long they have been deaf or how deaf they are, they may be curable if the disease has not too badly injured the ear drum and middle ear. He has restored hearing to many people that have been deaf for years. He especially wants every person that is deaf in one ear and is gradually losing the hearing in the other; he says in most of these cases the disease is in the Eustachian Tube, causing partial closure or collapse of the tubes and ear drum. Many of these cases get immediate relief from one free treatment. He wants every case of catarrh to come and try his treatment once free. It gives immediate relief. He says that catarrh is a constitutional disease and must be removed from the system. He says that every case of catarrh should be curable with this treatment. His treatment is something different from anything that you have used, and he wants you to try it and see if it won't help you. It is a combination of local absorbing remedies and certain forms of massage, and then treatment for the blood and system. The patient uses this at home. The cost is very small. He straightens cross-eyes in three minutes. The patient can sit and talk to him while he is doing it. He has straightened many cases around this section. He removes adenoid growths in two minutes without chloroform. The patient goes home all right. He has restored good hearing to many cases here. He accepts no case that he thinks is incurable, but if the structures are not seriously damaged by the disease, it may help or cure you. Try it and see. He has treated eye, ear, nose and throat diseases for over 31 years and has treated thousands of cases. He invites every person suffering with these troubles to come and get his opinion. If he thinks he can help them he will give them a thorough treatment free, and tell them how long it will take for them to get well, what it will cost and all about it. You will be under no obligations to pay him any money or take further treatment unless you wish. Remember the date. For further information, address:

DR. W. O. COFFEE,  
Des Moines, Iowa

Dangerous flying is forbidden. It's the trick flying, say the instructors, which has given the public an idea aviation is perilous. Ordinary everyday flying is not so dangerous as motorizing, they contend.

An instructor who came over from

the British Royal Flying Corps and served at the school got his walking papers in short order the other day. He raced over the field 10 feet above the ground right toward a crowd of spectators, rose as he seemed on the point of hitting them, swooped down

at a building and missed the roof by a few inches, made his plane rock from side to side like an ill-managed canoe and did a lot of other stunts. The commandant watched him with rising anger. It was the Britisher's last flight at Mineola.

Uncle Sam wants his boys to hold their lips as tightly as any one when in an air duel, but he also orders them not to break their bones before the hour of real combat.

Copenhagen, via London, April 14. A Cologne dispatch to the Berlin Tagblatt says that 25 barrels there have been closed by the police for violation of food regulations.



## Answering the Demand Of the Hour For All That Is New to Wear

—Ready tomorrow will be an assemblage of Suits, Coats, Frocks and Skirts that has seldom been presented in an Aurora store.

—This assortment is replete with the staples, the novelties and fanciful creations of America's best tailors and most reliable importers.

—Glance thru them tomorrow and you will have a renewed impression of Wade, Lietz & Grometer's supremacy in this special line of endeavor. The presentation of the world's freshest and most charming modes.

### Suits

—Plain tailored and novelty styles,

\$15 to \$50

### Coats

—For motoring, daytime and dressy wear,

\$10.50 to \$50

### Dresses

—In a myriad of beautiful styles,

\$12.50 to \$42.50



## Charming and Distinctive Millinery

—Women everywhere are talking of our attractive display for spring wear.

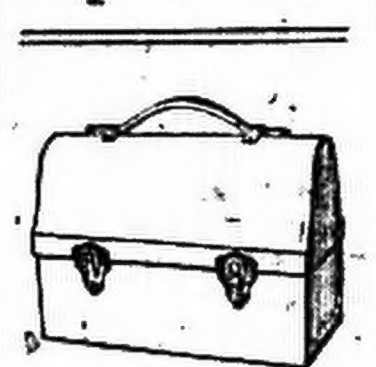
—With the appearance of spring naturally your thoughts turn to this store for the fulfillment of millinery needs.

—Of special interest are the fine trimmed Milan, Belgian Splits and Leghorns. Then there are many quaint types, as well as sport hats of every shape at prices that add to the pleasure of possessing them.

## Make Your Plans Now to Attend—Monday Is Economy Day

—While we will observe the regular rule of our Economy day bargains, by not accepting phone or mail orders or making deliveries unless with other goods, we have added a special feature which will be of great interest to Economy shoppers. One of our display windows is devoted to some of the very special offers for tomorrow. The silk and cotton georgette crepe mentioned below, will be one of the most prominent features in the display.

### Special!



\$2.50  
Thermos  
Lunch  
Case  
at \$1.98

—Made of black leatherette, nicely finished, durable with one pint thermos bottle. Limit one to each customer.

Hemstitched Napkins, fine linen, stamped in beautiful conventional designs or basket designs. Regular 25c and 35c values. At each 18c.

—A purchase of 6 Napkins includes 4 skeins of Royal Society Flax.

Unbreakable Black Rubber Dressing Comb. Regular size. Economy day price only 75c.

An extensive assortment of jewelry at 18c. Including novelty brooches, cuff links, beauty pins, etc. All new styles. Economy day price, each 18c.

Crash Toweling, half bleached, red border, extra good weight and a very exceptional offer for only, per yard 7 1/2c.

Bleached Table Damask. Fine quality of linen and cotton. Seventy inches wide. Economy day price, per yard 7 1/2c.

Beautiful Table Covers, in size 64-inch, neatly scalloped edge in colored finish. A very special offer in round table covers, each \$1.17.

Women's All Pure Linen Initialed Handkerchiefs, grass bleached, 1/4-inch hem, embroidered design with initial. Most all initials. Economy day price 4 for 25c.

—Only 5 to each customer.

Fancy Turkish Bath Towels, colored borders, stripes or checks. Good weight. An unusual offer at each 20c.

—Only 5 to each customer.

Saxony Linen Luncheon Set, stamped with basket pattern, 36-inch cloth and four napkins. Regular \$1.75 value at \$1.19.

Beautiful Curtain Voiles at 15c. Cream colored curtain voile, one yard wide, with pink, blue or yellow borders. Economy day, yard 15c.

Two special groups of women's stylish hats for spring wear. Banded sailors in many different shapes, trimmed. Choice \$2.98.

A big assortment of spring models, featuring straw and Georgette materials nicely trimmed. Choice \$4.88.

Silk and Cotton Georgette Crepe at 48c. 38 inches wide, exceptionally fine quality. Shown in a number of the season's most popular colors. Also a few dark shades. This is certainly one of the best offers we have ever presented in yardage material. We earnestly advise your visit early Monday morning to take advantage of this very special offer, especially if you desire some certain shade.

Women's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, embroidered 1/4-inch hem. An unusual offer for Economy day, 3 for 50c.

—Only 5 to each customer.

### Notice!

## The Symphony Concert

—and other occasions for Monday evening makes necessary our advice to visit the Beauty Parlor as early as possible.

—Altho we have arranged for special service, to come early may avoid disappointment.

## Clothes To Be Admired

By Yourself  
and Friends

Art is always appreciated, even in clothes—and the more welcome and admired because not always attained.

Art in its truest sense is deftly incorporated in harmony of design and fitting qualities of men's suits and coats created by

P. W. Murphy

Where Tailoring  
Is an Art

Metropolitan Block  
On the Island

## Monday Is SALE DAY

At Sherman's  
Shoe Market  
30 SOUTH BROADWAY

Ladies' \$2, \$2.50 and \$4 shoes mostly samples. Sizes 3, 3 1/2, 4, 4 1/2. 51 go Monday at \$1



Next best lot in \$4, \$5 and \$6 shoes such as white, cream, gray and some tan. 50 Monday, all sizes at \$1.98

SHERMAN'S  
Shoe Market  
30 SOUTH BROADWAY

## Aurora's Greatest— Showing of Neckwear

—An entirely new shipment has just arrived, made of lace, net, Georgette and linen materials. In white or colors. As the season advances so does the demand for pretty collars. Almost every costume requires one or more of these pretty collars. Every style that a woman could want is here and there is also added satisfaction on account of our low prices. The most severe test of the importance of this extensive display is to come tomorrow and see for yourself.

—Main Floor—

New Wash  
Materials  
Will Be On Special  
Display Tomorrow!

THE HEART  
WADE LIETZ & GROMETER  
24 SOUTH BROADWAY  
AURORA, ILL.

## A Collection of Beautiful Blouses for Spring Wear

—The style informed will without doubt agree that every known style for the new season is to be found in our blouse section and too that the assortment affords a more varied collection of colors than ever presented in Aurora. The popularity of pretty sport skirts this season has given cause for the extremely large purchase of new blouses. While many have made extensive selections and that we have just unboxed hundreds of new models we feel perfectly safe in saying that the blouse season has just merely started. So tomorrow you'll find beautiful assortments in silk, cotton or silk nets. All moderately priced.



See the New  
Sport Silks  
That Have Just  
Arrived!



## YOUNG BAPTISTS IN SESSION HERE

Tally of the Aurora Association  
Brings Many Delegates  
From This Section.

Discusses Question of Maintaining a  
Missionary in Foreign Field  
or at Home.

An enthusiastic rally of the Young People's societies of the Aurora Association was held yesterday at the Park Place Baptist church. A large number were present from Joliet, Morris, Big Rock, Yorkville, Plainfield, Sandwich and other surrounding towns.

The morning session was devoted to an informal conference led by the president, Ray Stearns, and reports of the various societies.

In the afternoon W. P. Behan, president of the Baptist Missionary Training school in Chicago, gave a talk on the young people's part of the five year program which has been adopted by most of the Baptist churches. Carey Johnson of Princeton, state president, gave a talk on "B. Y. P. U.—Why and How."

A "free-for-all" discussion was led by the Rev. H. C. Miller of the Marion Avenue Baptist church on the advisability of building a church in a foreign field and maintaining it. The general opinion of those taking part being that it would be more profitable to do some definite work among the foreign speaking people here. It was voted to leave the matter in charge of a committee of five to be appointed by the president. This committee to report to the Aurora Baptist convention at Sandwich in June.

**Missy Speakers Heard.**  
Among those who gave talks were the Rev. W. F. Huxford of Big Rock, the Reverend Mr. Norton of Sandwich, the Rev. H. H. Claxton of the First Baptist church, Dr. E. P. Brand, superintendent of missions for Illinois, and Miss Bessie Whitford, city missionary.

One of the features of the afternoon was a "house of social and general" called "The Clean Shop." Later a banquet was served in the church parlors to 200 persons. There were short talks by E. T. Brewster of Joliet, Ray Stearns, Dr. Clifton D. Gray of Chicago, Robert H. Kice, vice president of the state B. Y. P. U. and others.

In the evening an illustrated lecture was given by Joseph Clark of Chicago, acting joint district secretary. Mr. Clark has spent 37 years in Africa in mission work and the pictures told the story of his life work. Dr. Clifton D. Gray, who is the editor of the Standard, Chicago, gave a talk on "The Challenge of Latin America."

Special music was furnished by a quartet from the Eastern Avenue Baptist church, Joliet, George P. Rupp of Joliet and Mr. Hill of Yorkville.

**WAR PRICES FOR ALL FOODSTUFFS**

Local Dealers Give No Hope of  
Any Change in the Im-  
mediate Future.

Twenty-five pounds of Sugar sell for \$2.45—Flour Up 10 Cents a sack.

War prices on foodstuffs prevail in Aurora.

Every day during the past week some one of the food commodities has advanced in price. The advance has not reached its height. How long it will continue without a stop no one can say. No one of them could see any bright prospects for the immediate future.

"We are selling our goods on such close margins," one grocer said last night, "that the only way we are able to make a profit is by buying a quantity sufficient to last until prices go higher."

Sugar advanced 50 cents a barrel in all stores yesterday. A barrel is now selling for \$3.00. Twenty-five pounds sell for \$2.45, an advance of 10 cents. Flour advanced 10 cents a sack and is now selling for \$3.30 to \$3.50.

Mrs. Harry R. Miller (Olive Shaupe) of Chicago is in Aurora, having been called by the illness and death of her aunt, Mrs. J. J. Fishburn.

**Club Meeting.**  
No meeting of the Minerva coterie will be held Monday.

### In Groceries:

"From the cheapest that's good to the best there is."

QUALITY merchandise draws patronage; careful service draws patronage; low prices draw patronage.

We are pleased that we can offer all three.

**For Monday Only—**

Americans—The new and highly advertised Almond cookie, very good to eat, very special 1 pack-ages for ..... **25c**

4-lb. Can Hershey's Cocoa at Regular 25c ..... **21c**

Velvet Green Lawn Seed—Extra special, per pound sack ..... **22c**

Deliveries to all parts of Aurora

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**Bjorseth Bros.**

78 South LaSalle St.  
Purveyors of Quality  
Goods to a Critical Public

### Obituary

Henry A. Stone, 57 years old, a former resident of Aurora who was engaged in the public business in Main street for four years, was buried Thursday at Vandalia, his home since 1882 with the exception of the time he lived in Aurora.

Mr. Stone was born on a farm near St. Charles in 1859. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. D. Stone, two sisters, Mrs. Sarah Bell of Fulton, and Mrs. George Norton of Aurora and three children, Mrs. Louise Parkinson of San Antonio, Texas, and Mrs. Nellie Sonnemann and Amos D. Stone of Seattle, Wash.

Mr. Stone was a member of St. James Lutheran church and took an active part in the church work, being treasurer of the Chicago Synod since 1914. He was identified with the Old Fellows and served in numerous capacities, being Grand Master of the state of Illinois in 1893-4, a representative to the Sovereign Grand Lodge in 1915 and a member of the Judiciary and appeals committee for 18 years preceding his death. He had a host of friends throughout the state and the church was crowded to its capacity with friends from all over the state who had come to pay their last respects.

The services were conducted by the officers of the Grand Lodge and Grand Encampment of Illinois. Interment was in the Vandalia cemetery.

**Mrs. Peter Altringer.**  
Mrs. Peter Altringer, long a resident of this city and wife of Peter Altringer, prominent in the affairs of Aurora township, passed away at St. Charles hospital Friday night as the result of an operation. She leaves her husband, three daughters, Mrs. A. A. Kostrop and Misses Frances and Ruth Altringer and one grandchild, Alverda Kostrop. She was a member of the Catholic Order of Lady Foresters and of the Luxembourg Sisterhood.

The funeral will be held Thursday morning at 9 o'clock at the home, 423 Farnsworth avenue, and at 9:30 at St. Nicholas church. Interment will be held in the Big Woods cemetery.

## AIM TO BEAUTIFY LINCOLN HIGHWAY

Movement Launched by Moose  
Lodge to Enlist Property  
Owners in Campaign.

A movement has been launched by the O. O. M. lodge No. 99 of Mooseharrat to induce property owners along Lincoln highway from Aurora to Geneva to improve their frontage in its appearance.

Aurora and Batavia lodges will cooperate in the movement. Committees from these lodges will meet with the No. 99 lodge early in the week. Now that this great national roadway has been established and considering that many thousands will annually pass over this road in the future, it should be a matter of local pride to make this section of it present such an appearance as to indicate and reflect the intelligence of the community.

A few years ago the Woman's club of Aurora started a movement to improve the highways about Aurora, especially the river valley road, but their laudable efforts did not win sympathetic support at that time.

It is estimated that a very small sum per foot frontage will, judiciously expended, result in a great change in added beauty. When suggestive data and information are formulated the matter will be taken up directly with those most interested in their co-operation enlisted that success may result.

It is believed that public interest in matters of this kind is now sufficiently aroused to appreciate and encourage all such local and beneficial improvements.

morning at 9 o'clock at the home, 423 Farnsworth avenue, and at 9:30 at St. Nicholas church. Interment will be held in the Big Woods cemetery.

### Society Notes

**Party for Mrs. Walsh.**  
Mrs. Homer and Mrs. Nelson Millard entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of the latter for Mrs. James G. Walsh, who leaves soon for Washington, D. C. and other eastern points for a two months' visit. There were 45 tables of bridge, honors going to Mrs. W. M. Sherman and Mrs. M. E. Gelpel. Mrs. Walsh was given a guest favor. Luncheon was served at 5 o'clock. The rooms were prettily decorated with spring flowers.

**For Spring Brides.**  
Miss Kathryn Curry, Miss Dorothy Glover and Miss Monna Mored entertained the members of a bridge club at the home of Miss Curry in South Fourth street last evening in honor of four of the spring brides Miss Anna Mack, Miss Gladys Johnson, Miss Alice Ganser and Miss Alice Jenks. Each bride-elect was given a silver lemon fork. Following bridge a luncheon was served at tables prettily decorated in yellow and white. At each guest's place was a bouquet of violets and Aaron Ward roses.

**Jubilee Luncheon.**  
A number of women from the Aurora Methodist churches will attend the jubilee luncheon which is to be held at the Sherman hotel in Chicago Wednesday. Bishop Nicholson will be the speaker. Similar gatherings will be held in all states throughout the states on the same day, celebrating the half way mark in the five year

campaign for 1,000 missionaries, 100,000 members in all that campaign, \$1,000,000 and 100,000 subscribers to the magazine, before the 10th anniversary of the organization in 1919. The women who will go from Aurora are Mrs. Alice Liddy, Miss Bee Simpson, Mrs. G. T. Putt, Mrs. Elmer Todd, Miss Della Tibbles and Miss Carrie Foster of Jennings, Minn.

**Leave California.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Page have left California where they spent the winter and are planning to stop for a time at Denver and Salt Lake City, returning to Aurora the latter part of the month.

### CHILDREN WHO ARE SICKLY

Mothers who value the health of their children, should never be without **MOTHER'S MILK**. **MOTHER'S MILK** is the best food for **CHILDREN**, for when needed. They tend to "Break up" Colds, Croup, Whooping Cough, Teething, Diarrhea, and Stomach Troubles. Used by **DR. J. C. HENNING**, Sold by Druggists everywhere. Trial package FREE. Address: **THE MOTHER**, GRAY CO., La. St., N. Y.

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Clothes for Young Men and Men Who Stay Young

**Jack Holbag**  
THE STORE WITH A CONSCIENCE  
Downer Place at River Street

**PARTICULAR Men**  
appreciate the character in the clothes I offer.

In my quality shop for men and young men you find conservative styles mingled with the more extreme effects.

Mine is a shop that meets the demands of all men in style and pattern ideas and the demands of all men as to genuine quality—character in clothes. Tall men, short men, fat men, thin men—every type of figure finds a "fit" under my careful attention.

**Suits and Topcoats**  
**\$15. \$18. \$20. \$25 and up.**

Come here to try on Hats you'll like—see the new Shirts—have a look at Ties that are different.

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When On Your Monday Shopping Tour  
Don't Forget to Visit Our Ready-to-Wear Dep't

**Ladies' Coats**  
Made of all wool poplin in all the new colors. Fashioned very full with belt all around. Extra large collar with stitching in contrasting colors. Fancy patch pockets. Spec. **\$15.00** ially priced

**Misses' or Small Ladies' Suits**  
Coming in mustard, gray, open and navy. The skirt is made with plain full flare front, yoke, back and box pleated from then down. Box pleated coat with large sailor collar and patch pockets. Silk mess. line lined. Special **\$22.50**

**Einsberg's**  
18 S 2 BROADWAY OUR GREATEST ATTRACTION IS OUR LOW PRICES

Certain Suits for Monday—36 inches wide in every ivory or Arab. 18 S 2 BROADWAY Monday only per yard **12c**

Contains Suits—36 inches wide, in ivory or Arab. 18 S 2 BROADWAY Monday only per yard **17c**

**New Spring Dresses**  
Of all silk crepe de chine in every wanted shade. Handsomely embroidered in gold with belt of self material which forms a sash in front. As smart as can **\$18.00** be with quality second to none at.

**Springtime Is the Season**  
To Brighten Rooms and Renew Furnishings

There is nothing imaginative about furniture. Once bought, it is yours for many years. But if it is good, both in taste and wearing qualities, you will always be proud to show your home to your friends.

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**HARLEY IS RIGHT**

Just after the water office shortage had been exposed, Mayor Harley said:

**"Aurora needs a city manager"**

After two years of Mr. Harley as Mayor, it will be universally agreed that he was right—for once.

**Aurora does need a city manager**  
**—McCREDIE**

People's Independent Party  
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## Aurora Society News

Sometimes in a fit of utter abandonment to the spirit of philosophy, it is amusing to cast the mental eye over the community as the taking of a strange view from an airship. Under such circumstances, a city—Aurora, for instance—is like nothing so much as an ant-hill—the residents thereof running hither and thither, exactly as do the ant-hill occupants, each intent upon his own enterprise. In a city which exists to the country, however, this is more apparent upon Saturday than at any other time, and Saturday evening, while laboring upon the newspaper which reaches the subscribers on the Sabbath day, it is next to impossible to keep in mind the innumerable activities of the people for the week past and that to come—for they are varied and many.

Saturday, April 14, was a big day for the Baptists and the Methodists, spiritually and musically. This is a big time for the Lady Foresters who are gathering in members magically. Saturday was a big day for the Catholic women of the city. It was a busy day for the political campaign, for they do say something is going to happen April 17. It was a busy day for those who are rehearsing the children for the big concert Monday afternoon. Each enterprise promoter naturally considers his or her interest of greatest importance—while the means are all that could be desired. The guests of honor at the luncheon were Misses Isabelle Duffey and Lillian Storen of Rockford, who later gave highly interesting talks before the luncheon guests, and others who came in later, at the home of Mrs. John T. Downs in Fox street.

The Catholic Women's League. The American flag was given a prominent place at the luncheon given Saturday in the private dining room of the Manhattan club for the Catholic Women's League of Aurora. For handsome little stars and stripes were laid at each plate as favors. The place cards were exceedingly colorful, while the menu was all that could be desired. The guests of honor at the luncheon were Misses Isabelle Duffey and Lillian Storen of Rockford, who later gave highly interesting talks before the luncheon guests, and others who came in later, at the home of Mrs. John T. Downs in Fox street.

The Downs home opens extremely well for a meeting of this sort, all being seated most comfortably. As is generally known the matter of affiliation of the various Women's Catholic societies in Aurora, has been discussed for some time, to no good end and that by-laws have already been drafted by each society, with the idea of compiling the same at a general meeting to be held in the near future, the combined organization to be known as the Aurora Catholic Women's League. This league will cover all the various activities of local Catholic women, including the several philanthropic enterprises now being carried on by the various societies, such as St. Catherine's Home for Girls and the Day Nursery.

Miss Duffey who is one of the Rockford high school teachers, is president of the Rockford Women's Catholic League, while Miss Storen is assistant city clerk and is also identified with the league. They most kindly came to Aurora, at the invitation of the Aurora women, to tell of the excellent work and of the method of organization and work of the Rockford league.

Miss Storen told of the formation of the league in 1910, with membership of 225, and of the decision, after thought, to operate the league as three guilds—the charity guild, the study department and the music guild. The charity guild has charge of the making up of the altar linens, not only for the Rockford churches, but also for such portions of the diocese as may, in the mind of Bishop McQuinn, require aid. It also aids many of the county institutions, the orphanage at Freeport, the hospitals, the juvenile home, etc. This division of the league holds one afternoon and one evening meeting every two weeks, the entire league meeting once every three months. At the charity guild meetings there is often reading from Catholic books, or talk upon current Catholic topics, in addition to sewing.

The study guild meets once in two weeks, and has enjoyed many topics of study, not forgetting most interesting lectures given by one of the Fathers who kindly gave his services for the purpose.

The music guild is given over largely to entertainment features, this portion of the league work catering more or less to the young people. The dues in the Rockford league are \$1 initiation fee and \$1 a year, the first year and \$1 thereafter each year. Additional sums are secured of course outside of this regular league fund, by any one of the three guilds which wishes to

further any money making project for the work under the particular auspices. The Rockford Catholic league is affiliated with the Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs.

Miss Duffey related in detail the scene of the social center work accomplished by the Rockford league, which has rented and maintained a hall in a district occupied by Rockford foreign citizens of Catholic faith. The league pays a resident worker, holds classes both afternoons and evenings, for men and women, girls and boys, including sewing, elementary studies, manual training, etc., with a kindergarten, the children naturally leaving the kindergarten for Rockford St. Anthony's school, while recreation for the young people is a strong part of the work. A tribute was paid to Bishop McQuinn who has aided the women in their work, especially the St. Elizabeth's social center.

The talks brought forth a number of questions concerning Aurora consolidation of societies, followed by a general discussion. After a social hour was held, the present having an opportunity to express their views, which were presented by Mrs. J. T. Downs, the hostess and Mrs. George Martin, president of the Catholic Women's League. Among those present were the speakers of the afternoon, Mrs. George Martin, Mrs. John Kelly, Mrs. James McNeill, Mrs. John Coleman, Mrs. Thomas O'Connor, Mrs. H. N. Adkins, Mrs. Margaret R. Miller, Mother Magdalene, Sister Mary Joseph, Mrs. H. N. Goff, Mrs. Mary Clynne of Chicago (who is visiting Mrs. Margaret R. Miller), Mrs. James Galvin, Mrs. John Linder, Mrs. W. S. Sheffer, Mrs. Arthur Nickerson, Mrs. Richard Nickerson, Mrs. W. J. O'Brien, Mrs. P. J. McReynolds, Mrs. M. Mullen, Mrs. Elizabeth Barthold, Miss Mayme Berthold, Mrs. John Hendrick, Mrs. M. D. Hassett, Mrs. John Badry, Mrs. Margaret Bagley, Mrs. Nellie McGuffee, Mrs. H. E. Todd, Mrs. Catherine Houston, Mrs. John Linden, Mrs. Katherine Garvey, Mrs. Jacob Pompa, Miss Banbury, Miss Alice Healy, Mrs. J. J. Cullenbine, Mrs. Frank Comfort, Mrs. Elizabeth McGuire, Mrs. Mary Segors, Mrs. Hannah McDonald, Mrs. C. H. Simcockey, Mrs. V. A. Homens, Mrs. Otto Konrad, Miss Ann Flannigan, Mrs. J. H. Dunn and Mrs. Charles Hunsatt.

Lady Forester Initiation. Mrs. Katherine Conroy, deputy organizer for the Women's Catholic Order of Foresters, who has made so many friends in Aurora during her recent membership work in the city, will be the guest of honor at a meeting to be held in K. C. hall next Friday evening, when a class of 75 or more, recently added to the various local Women Forester societies, will be initiated.

The Bridge Its Use. The Bridge Its Use will meet Thursday with Mrs. Clifford Lamb. The Reverend Mr. O'May is in town. No more interested listener at the dedication program at the First Methodist church, Thursday evening, was to be seen than the Rev. James O'May, now of Freeport, formerly pastor of the First church of this city. He with Mrs. O'May came over for the concert, and were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Wilson.

Smiths to Remain in California. Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith who have just reached California, will not return for the funeral services of the late Mrs. J. J. Fishburn. The Smiths who have planned so long to make this trip were informed daily by telegram, the condition of Mrs. Fishburn, and it is the wish of the family that they remain in California. Mrs. Smith, as is generally known, is a sister of Mrs. Fishburn, whose death

is the first break in the sisterly circle composed of Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Fishburn, Mrs. C. H. Haring and Mrs. W. S. Beaupre—the "Brady girls," as they have always been known. "Don" Fishburn, who had returned to his home in Cleveland, returned to Aurora yesterday. The sisters greatly resemble one another, and it is difficult to realize that gentle Mrs. Fishburn had passed on.

"Seal of Confession." Among the many events of Sunday is the play, "The Seal of Confession," which will be given by the St. Nicholas Dramatic society in St. Nicholas hall Sunday afternoon.

Married Saturday at Noon. The marriage of Miss Helen Felsenfeld and Dr. H. D. Moorman occurred Saturday at noon at the residence of the bride's brother, Joseph Felsenfeld in Chicago. But a small group of relatives and friends witnessed the ceremony which was performed by the Rev. C. A. Holbrook of Aurora. Dr. and Mrs. Moorman will enjoy a trip to Asheville, N. C., before returning to Aurora.

Popular Concert Sunday. One of Mrs. Alice Wernicke's celebrated popular Sunday afternoon recitals will occur Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at her studio. The symphonic orchestra, including Mrs. Wernicke and Miss Erynsprack, the violinist, will play the Tchaikowsky symphony to be given Monday evening by the Symphony orchestra.

The Children's Rehearsal. One of the refreshing events of Saturday morning was the opportunity to hear the rehearsal of the 700 school children who will sing Monday afternoon at the concert for the children to be given Monday afternoon at Sylvandell by the Chicago Symphony orchestra. A remarkably successful seating arrangement for the children in the great arch, immediately back of the platform upon which the orchestra will be seated and the children were a picture indeed, while their singing, well, 700 little voices—clear soprano and equally clear alto, should be heard. The training and leading has been accomplished, solely by Miss Margaret Pouk, teacher of music in East Aurora and Glen C. Stables, music supervisor in West Aurora schools, and their choice of songs is admirable. Miss Gladys Battenbach is the accompanist.

There will be, as is known, two children's programs Monday, while Monday evening comes Maud Powell, who is to play with the orchestra.

To Entertain at Dinner. Among the dinner which will be given Monday (the Chicago orchestra will be in Aurora all Monday owing to the afternoon programs) in that given Monday evening by Col. and Mrs. George Fabian, who will come down from Riverbank Villa following the children's last program for their dinner guests, the two concertmasters, Harry Weisbach and Alexander Zubowsky, Brun Stindel, the cellist, so well known to Aurora music lovers, Franz Erzer, first viola—one of the oldest, in point of service, of the orchestra, and Otto Roeder, horn, leader of the second violin section.

The Riemenschneider Recital. Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock Prof. Albert Riemenschneider will give another of those fine organ recitals. This is a free concert, and judging from preceding recitals, will be given to a packed house. The professor returns Sunday evening to Cleveland where he is one of the busy musicians of the country.

Entertained Friday. Mrs. H. N. Strohn had a few women friends in Friday for Miss Paulitta Guffey, a sister of Mrs. Carroll Miller. There was bridge, the scores going to Mrs. E. E. Miller and Mrs. W. F. Sherman.

Mrs. Miller is in Connecticut, where she went for a rest, leaving Joe, the little son who was so ill, with her people in Pittsburgh. Miss Guffey came on in the meantime for a few days and has remained as a sort of

improviser nurse in a case of what threatened to be scarlet fever, telephoning in the meantime to Pittsburgh to keep Joe, at that point. However, everything has cleared up and Miss Guffey, whose presence in the city was not known for days, will return to Pittsburgh soon.

World That It Were Spring. Practically everybody in town is longing for spring, for illness has touched too many families for comfort. The M. E. Geipels have had a most strenuous time, with the scarlet fever attack of the little daughter, Maxine, and now Mr. Geipel is ill. John Knell is ill, while Mrs. Knell is just able to be about after her recent illness. The J. S. Sherrers have undergone their second scarlet fever quarantine, and Sam, the son who has had the fever the second time, has since been seriously ill and is still in bed. One could go on indefinitely, and worst of all—it is said to be almost impossible to secure any domestic service—the young girls who were formerly plentiful are scarce, and, so, it is said, many most incapable.

To Return From West. Mrs. Edith Titworth and daughter, Louise, who have been in California all winter, are expected home Wednesday or Thursday. They have been visiting in Berkeley, where Mrs. Titworth regained much of the strength lost in her long attack of grip which she contracted soon after reaching California. They will stop at the

Grand Canyon and spend some time in Emporia, Kan. The other daughter, Gertrude, will remain in Chicago until May. The Titworths met many Aurora people, including the F. C. Adahson, Mrs. John Kinsey, Mrs. N. C. Simmons and others.

To Entertain. Miss Ruth Keckley, of 433 LaSalle street will entertain a number of friends Friday evening of next week.

Talk On Hawaii. A large crowd enjoyed the illustrated talk given by Miss Clara D. Ingalls, assistant physical director of the T. W. C. A. last evening on "Picturesque Hawaii." Miss Ingalls spoke of the islands as the "paradise of the Pacific," showing a number of extremely beautiful scenes of the mountains, the volcanoes, etc., including "Diamond Head" the extinct crater "being like a crouching lion guarding the entrance to the harbor." Perhaps the most interesting scenes were of the sports, surf boat riding on the beach of Waikiki with pictures of Duke Kahanamoku who won a world record in the Olympic games at Stockholm, making a 50 yard dash, shark fishing and polo. She also spoke of the peculiar costumes, and superstitions of the people and the work of the missionaries, the industries, rice planting and raising of pineapples, and sugar cane, the wonderful climate and the history of the islands from the time of the landing of Captain Cook in 1778, to the present day, speaking of the

deposition of Queen Elizabeth, showing her some of retirement at Washington place, and the setting up of a republic.

Previous to Miss Ingalls' talk, the girls' gym club of Northwestern college gave an enjoyable program.

G. C. Club. Miss Susan Millen entertained the G. C. girls at her home Friday evening. Cards were played, high honors going to Miss Jeannette Elpers. The club will give a card party at K. C. hall next Thursday the proceeds to be used for charitable purposes.

Summer School Conference. Two prominent Sunday school workers, Miss Wilhelmina Blocker, superintendent of the elementary department of the Illinois Sunday School association, and Miss Katherine Burton, superintendent of the same department for the country, will visit a number of Sunday schools in this city this morning. At 2:30 o'clock a conference will be held at the First Presbyterian church with all of the elementary teachers of the city.

For Miss Johns. Miss Edith Johns entertained a five hundred club of girls at her home in Indian avenue last evening in honor of her sister Miss Margaret Johns who is soon to become the bride of Frank Michels Jr. Five hundred was played and later the hostess served a delicious luncheon, carrying out the yellow color scheme.

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At Two O'clock and at Four O'clock

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\$4.50 Lace Curtains, Pr., \$2.98

Marquise or voile, 3 different styles, 35 inches wide, 2 1/2 yards long, white or ecru, regular price \$1.50 Monday, pair, \$2.98.

20c Curtain Scrim, Yd., 14 1/2c

Excellent quality curtain scrim, white or ecru, 36 inches wide, Monday, yard, 14 1/2c.

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Another Busy Monday Will Demonstrate the Superiority of Sencenbaugh Values

20c Bleached Crash, Yard, 14 1/2c

Good heavy quality, pure linen, 18 inches wide, red border, this is a big bargain, specially priced for Monday, a regular 20c value, yard, at 14 1/2c.

75c Novelty Dress Materials, 59c

Silk-and-linen novelty, excellent range, newest Japanese designs, latest colors, 36 inches wide. Very specially priced for Monday, 75c value, yard, 59c.

Dress Materials, One-Half to One-Third Off

Remnants of all silk and all-wool materials, lengths from 1/2 to 6 yards, widths from 36 to 56 inches wide, poplins, crepe de chine, taffetas, serges, gabardines, epingle, nun's veiling, black-and-white checks, broadcloths, stripes and novelties, all desirable colors, Monday 1-3, or 1-3-off regular prices.

Phone and Mail Orders

Cannot be accepted on advertised Monday bargains (goods must be seen by the purchaser) deliveries will be made but not outside of Aurora.

25c Cotton Suitings, Yard 16 1/2c

Black-and-white checks, about nine different sizes, 36 inches wide, excellent quality. Regular 25c value here Monday at the special low price 16 1/2c.

20c Chambray Ginghams, Yard 14 1/2c

Pink, blue, brown and black checks, linen finish, 30 inches wide, guaranteed fast color, excellent value, specially priced for Monday, yard only, 14 1/2c.

50c Scott's Sanitary Belts at 35c

The belt is constructed without buttons, hooks or buckles, thus preventing annoyance to the wearer when worn under the corset. Regular 50c, Monday 35c.

Notions at Special Prices

Hooks and eyes, black or white, invisible eyes, 0 to 2, 5c value, card 34c. Two-eye white pearl buttons, also colored fish-eye suitable for children's clothes, 5c card 34c. Dexter's Silco darning cotton, black, white and all colors, 5c value, limit 2 balls for 10c.

75c Women's Union Suits, Only 59c

Fine cotton ribbed, white, taped low neck, no sleeves, lace or tight knee, extra sizes only, 7, 8 and 9. Specially priced here Monday at only 59c, only 2 to a customer.

65c Women's Boot-silk Hose, 53c

Woman's black pure thread silk hose, double sole, heel and toe, four-inch garter top, big value, regular 65c value, Monday 53c, 2 pair to a customer.

\$1 Women's Muslin Gowns, 79c

Several styles, embroidery trimmed, sizes 16 to 30, very specially priced here on Monday at only 79c.

\$10 Spring Coats at Only \$5

Materials are serges, chevrons, plaids, checks, covert and mixtures, ten different styles, women's and misses' sizes, special on Monday \$10 value, 50c.

\$1.25 Curtain Stretcher at 95c

Full size, made of seasoned white wood, heavy nickel plated pins, one inch apart, regular \$1.25 value, Monday, 95c.

20c Table Oil Cloth, Yard, 14c

Lengths up to 3 yards, various light and dark patterns, Monday, yard at only 14c.

MONDAY  
IN THE  
BASEMENT

\$1.75 Women's

Petticoats at \$1.29

Made of good nainsook and muslin, lace and embroidery trimmed, deep flounces with under ruffle, Monday at \$1.29.

\$2.79 New Lace

Curtains, Pair \$1.98

Voile and marquisette, plain center, lace inserted border, also edge, 2 1/2 yards long, white or ecru, Monday, pair, \$1.98.

\$1.25 Women's

White Waists, at 89c

Plain or striped voiles, organdy collars, long sleeves, elastic belt, sizes 36 to 46, big \$1.25 value, Monday, at only 89c.

\$2 Extra Size

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Good quality light or dark percales, stripes and figures, inverted plaid in back, sizes 44 to 52, Monday, at \$1.35.

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Crepe Kimonos, \$1.79

Handsome small flowered designs in pink, blue, tan and lavender, trimmed with plain colors, empire style, sizes 40 to 46, 1 to a customer, only \$1.79.

10c Towel

Lengths at Only 6 1/2c

Cotton towel, very closely woven, fifteen inches wide, thirty-two inches long, red border, make excellent dish towels, big bargain at 10c, Monday at only 6 1/2c.

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Rings!

We have been fortunate enough to receive a complete line of the newest designs in rings, including Ruby, Garnet, Topaz, Tourmaline, Emerald, Sapphire—which we now have on our own stock. The full increase in price which the war has put on most stones. The Birthstones for April is the Diamond. Diamond and Precious Stones.  
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For Monday, April 16

Rice—Very fine Japan style, white head, 3 pounds, 20c for

Pie Plant—A seasonable health food, two pounds, 15c for

Hominy—Lyed and hulled corn; just like mother used to make, 3 large cans for, 27c

Peaches—Fine evaporated California fruit, 2 pounds, 25c for

Raisins—Not-a-Seed brand, 1-pound package, 16c

FRESH MEATS OF ALL KINDS  
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Eggs—All you want of fresh gathered stock, per dozen, 32c

Peaches—Large cans, peeled halves, heavy syrup, 3 cans, 50c for

Olives—Stuffed with pimientos, large 25c bottles, for only, 21c

Ham—Home-boiled and sliced to order, per pound, 48c



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Almost 200 More Members,  
More Lines of Social Activi-  
ties, Added Equipment.

### PRES. KILBOURNE REPORT

(By President C. E. Kilbourne.)  
The records of the Aurora association closed for the fiscal year April 1, with the annual meeting April 10, 1917. Only a brief summary can be here given. The year, measured by the attempt to achieve, has been one of marked success. There have been changes and adjustments, but steady advancement. Some of these changes were in the force conducting the work. Knut Erickson came to us in June to take the membership and social work. W. H. Truitt came in August to assist in the physical department. George E. McCleary came in December to help with the industrial and religious work.

For local reasons we had to give up plans for a building campaign to increase the capacity and equipment of our building to satisfy the growing demands. As a temporary measure, however, we have appropriated our store building to relieve the congestion in the physical and boys' departments. This building has been partly equipped as a gymnasium and used for social and religious purposes throughout the year.

The persistent demands came for better bowling facilities, and while the change came at an inopportune time and at considerable expense, the improvement and additional alley are justified by the increased use of the building and the enjoyment and satisfaction to those who enjoy the sport. It has added to the social stimulus and good fellowship among the members, so that the tournaments have been very popular.

**Physical Department.**  
The physical department has served well the membership by its varied activities, with programs suited to the needs of the men and boys and to match the changing seasons. The privileges have been taken advantage of thru all the year, indoor and outdoor, at home and in visiting relations. Fifty basketball teams were organized among Sunday schools, factories and other organizations. Four wrestling exhibitions, six special exhibits, classes for first aid, swimming, tumbling and wrestling were formed. Classes for cadets, young men, seniors, 5 o'clock business men, and noon hour classes, aggregating about 1,242 classes, for men and boys, were conducted, with an attendance of about 26,420. These activities have attracted many visitors to the building.

**Religious Work.**  
Religious meetings were held in the gym eight Sundays in January and February, for which good programs were furnished. A gospel team was organized and rendered service to the young people's meetings and the evening church services. The shop meetings have been sustained in six shops with occasional meetings in eight shops. This work has been made successful by the faithful help of the voluntary service of pastors, business and professional men, who have given of their best, and of the number of singers and entertainers who have done so much to make this work successful. More than 40 persons have contributed their services to these meetings, which had a combined attendance of 8,154 men and boys. These meetings have been an inspiring opportunity for friendly exchange and fellowship among the men.

**Boys' Department.**  
The boys' corner has done excellent work in spite of the limitations in equipment. The camp last summer was a unique success. The classes for boys have been regularly maintained by the physical department.

The foreign work has been fruitful in results for the foreign field and has breathed a good spirit into our local work. Twelve hundred fifty dollars was raised among our members for the support of our secretary in China. We raised \$700 for the army work on the border, and the value of this place of work seems to increase as we know more about it. This beginning has prepared us for the larger work which is just ahead in the present national crisis. John R. Mott, general secretary of the international committee, has been asked by the secretary of war to provide five capable secretaries for each brigade of 5,000 men, and Mr. Mott has called on the associations of the whole country to get behind a movement to raise \$2,000,000 of which Cook county men have already started to raise \$200,000, \$200,000 of which Cook county men have already started to raise.

**Financials.**  
We started the year April 1, 1916, with a balance of \$1,502.12 in treasury, and closed it April 1, 1917 with \$218.67 on hand. The shrinkage of about \$1,300 during the year was caused by the unusual repairs on the building and especially by the rebuilding of the bowling alleys, which latter amounted to over \$1,300. The receipts have been carefully and wisely expended for the maintenance of the association work in this city, as the money sent outside was raised by voluntary contribution of our members and not paid out of the association treasury.

**Board of Directors.**  
The board of directors wishes to express its hearty appreciation of the cordial and liberal support given to the association during the past year by all those who have helped, either with money or by personal services. Without such whole-hearted support the work could not have been maintained at its present high standard of excellence and we trust that the results achieved will justify its contribution throughout the coming year.

**TO HAVE CHARGE  
OF THE CAMPAIGN**  
Executive Committee Named to  
Head Work for City Hospital Fund of \$100,000.  
F. G. Adamson Will Serve as General  
Chairman and Will Be Assisted  
by Other Workers.

The campaign for the purpose of raising \$100,000 for the Aurora hospital will be launched early in May. N. M. Hutchinson, president of the board of trustees, states that the preliminary work of the organization which will accomplish the desired results has already been started. Campaign headquarters have been opened in the Coulter block, in charge of C. W. Lee of New York, who has had wide experience in raising money for philanthropic work. Mr. Lee is associated with E. T. Hony of national fame as a leader. During the intensive campaign Mr. Hony will be in Aurora. At the present time he is conducting a hospital campaign for \$250,000 at Kansas City.

This is the day of the modern hospital and the fact that the Aurora hospital is at present caring for three times as many patients as could be accommodated in the old building shows the great need of improved hospital facilities in this community. This campaign is being undertaken to forever free the hospital of debt and to make it stand as a monument of civic pride and a task well done. Influential business men and self-sacrificing women have pledged themselves to go before the people of Aurora and make this campaign a success. The campaign executive committee, was recently formed with F. G. Adamson as general chairman, A. Adamson, secretary, F. B. Watson, treasurer, and the following members: N. M. Hutchinson, Roy N. Stronh, C. S. Kilbourne, Dr. Charles E. Colwell, Harry J. Cooper, John Alexander, Charles F. Wade, Richard L. Curry, Max E. Jenks and Fred Holliester. Upon these men will devolve the duty of directing the campaign, and the organization is already being promised loyal support from every section of the city.

**SOCIALISTS FOR PEACE**  
[By Associated Press Local Wire.]  
Copenhagen, April 14, via London, 3:17 p. m.—The Dagbladet Nyheter of Stockholm says that representatives of the extreme Russian socialists have arrived in Stockholm from Switzerland and have held several conferences with extreme Swedish socialists in regard to peace.

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Chairman and Will Be Assisted  
by Other Workers.

The campaign for the purpose of raising \$100,000 for the Aurora hospital will be launched early in May. N. M. Hutchinson, president of the board of trustees, states that the preliminary work of the organization which will accomplish the desired results has already been started. Campaign headquarters have been opened in the Coulter block, in charge of C. W. Lee of New York, who has had wide experience in raising money for philanthropic work. Mr. Lee is associated with E. T. Hony of national fame as a leader. During the intensive campaign Mr. Hony will be in Aurora. At the present time he is conducting a hospital campaign for \$250,000 at Kansas City.

This is the day of the modern hospital and the fact that the Aurora hospital is at present caring for three times as many patients as could be accommodated in the old building shows the great need of improved hospital facilities in this community. This campaign is being undertaken to forever free the hospital of debt and to make it stand as a monument of civic pride and a task well done. Influential business men and self-sacrificing women have pledged themselves to go before the people of Aurora and make this campaign a success. The campaign executive committee, was recently formed with F. G. Adamson as general chairman, A. Adamson, secretary, F. B. Watson, treasurer, and the following members: N. M. Hutchinson, Roy N. Stronh, C. S. Kilbourne, Dr. Charles E. Colwell, Harry J. Cooper, John Alexander, Charles F. Wade, Richard L. Curry, Max E. Jenks and Fred Holliester. Upon these men will devolve the duty of directing the campaign, and the organization is already being promised loyal support from every section of the city.

**SOCIALISTS FOR PEACE**  
[By Associated Press Local Wire.]  
Copenhagen, April 14, via London, 3:17 p. m.—The Dagbladet Nyheter of Stockholm says that representatives of the extreme Russian socialists have arrived in Stockholm from Switzerland and have held several conferences with extreme Swedish socialists in regard to peace.

## GREATER CAR

Elgin Six has provided its own salvation in the problem of its distribution. It has made itself popular because of its many refinements, improvements and mechanical superlatives. From radiator to tail-light the New Series '17 Elgin Six is the embodiment of distinctive refinements and genuine quality seldom obtainable in cars selling under \$1,100. The New 1917 Elgin stands three inches higher than its predecessor of 1916. In addition to its powerful 25-horse power, high-speed, valve-in-head motor, it has an improved type valve-acting clutch, an exceptionally strong steel frame, and a powerful Torque-arm which absorbs all torsional strain. This latter feature is claimed by the Elgin people to be found seldom, if ever, in cars selling for less than \$1,200. The new series '17 Elgin also is built with a double cowl, giving the car an individuality rarely found in cars selling under four figures. The Elgin has well lived up to its slogan at all shows as being "The Car of the Hour."

## AMERICAN SOCIALISTS FOR AN EARLY PEACE

[By Associated Press Local Wire.]  
St. Louis, April 14.—Sixty socialists who attended the national convention of the party here today, made plans for submitting to a party referendum the convention resolutions condemning the American government for entering the European war. The insurgents draw up a declaration which they will submit to the membership. The new declaration does not criticize the American government for entering the war, but says it is the duty of socialists to do all they can to minimize the suffering the war will bring and to promote an early peace on a democratic basis advantageous to the working class.

Miss Jeanette Elpers has been visiting Miss Irene Drobish in Chicago.

## Don't Worry

about the wearing qualities  
of the paints you use when  
you can buy

**Rogers' Paints,  
Stains and  
Varnishes**

and know from the first you  
are getting the very best.

**GRIMM'S DRUG STORE**  
85 FOX ST.

## SAYS GERMANS REFUSE TO GROW FOODSTUFFS

[By Associated Press Local Wire.]  
Cleveland, April 14.—That German-Americans will not join in the intensive farming movement on the ground that it would help Great Britain and her allies was the assertion of Herman Fellingner, a member of Mayor Davis' war board here today. "All German-Americans who are backing America as against Germany are praying for the defeat of Great Britain and her allies," said Fellingner. "It is too much to expect them to raise foodstuffs for her allies."

Fellingner, who is president of the first of the German-American alliance, asserted that German-Americans were loyal allies.

## Fuel and Building Material

Absolute Satisfaction or Money Refunded

**James McCredie & Son**  
Both Phones 43

## SPECIAL FOR MONDAY

Ballgown Union Suits, long or short sleeves, ankle or knee length, 75c value ..... 59c

## Dress Up the Boy

Little fellows take pride in sparkling new clothes—it's natural. They want them to be like their young friends—in style. And best of all, good clothes furnish them training in carefulness nothing else can.

## Children Appreciate Our Suits

Norfolk, pinch-backs and trench styles in choice fabrics with colorings, new and becoming; sizes 6 to 18 years ..... \$4 to \$12.50

Wool suits for the smaller fellows, stylish in fabrics and color, carefully tailored; sizes 3 to 8 years \$3.75 to \$4.50

Wash suits, a wise investment to keep the romping boy neat and trim every day; sizes 2½ to 8 years ..... \$1 and up

Spring coats, not too heavy for early summer wear, in a variety of patterns; sizes 2½ to 10 ..... \$3.75 to \$6.50

Caps, hats, stockings, belts, underwear, collars, neckwear and other accessories boys need to be natty dressed.

**ALSHULER BROS. CO.**

Seventeen Broadway Nineteen Water Street

## Better Clothes AT \$15, \$18, \$20



—is the secret of our success in rounding up a big share of the men's and young men's clothing trade at Aurora and vicinity.

All we ask of you is—come in and make us back up this statement.

We'll do it with  
**Stadium and  
Progressive Suits,  
Top Coats**

Sold by us exclusively.  
**IF** you'll come to us  
for your Hat  
Cap you'll sure  
get what you want.

**WADE & GOLZ**  
THE STORE THAT CATER TO YOU

6 Downer Place, Aurora  
Successors to Johnson & Wade

## Pedigreed!



Big Four \$850  
Light Six \$985

Prices Effective April 1st, 1917

**Light Four**  
Touring ..... \$805  
Roadster ..... \$850  
Country Club ..... \$793

**Big Four**  
Touring ..... \$850  
Roadster ..... \$905  
Country Club ..... \$840

**Light Sixes**  
Touring ..... \$985  
Roadster ..... \$1,035  
Country Club ..... \$970

**Willis-Six**  
Touring ..... \$1,225

**Willis-Knights**  
Four Touring ..... \$1,105  
Four Coupe ..... \$1,050  
Four Sedan ..... \$1,050  
Four Limousine ..... \$1,150  
Eight Touring ..... \$1,250

Advance in price, Big Four and Light Six models, May 1st 1917—deferred until that date account too late to correct advertisement appearing in magazine circulating throughout the month of April.

All prices f. o. b. Toledo  
Subject to change without notice  
"Made in U. S. A."

Nine years of continuous, consistent development, improvement, refinement!

Each year a better car and a better value!

Over three hundred thousand now in use!

That is the history of the car that built Overland because it represented integrity of value.

And as steadfastly as this car has represented original integrity of value, so also has The Willis-Overland Company sustained that integrity of value throughout its service in the hands of those who purchased it.

The Overland Big Four of this season and its twin—except for the motor—the Overland Light Six, are the direct outcome of all this development.

More than three hundred thousand owners and more than four thousand dealer and factory-branch organizations have assisted this development by their experience with these cars and their helpful suggestions of improvements.

In their new beauty, in their perfected easy riding qualities, in their proven sturdiness and mechanical excellence, in their admitted tire, fuel and oil economy, these cars are worthy of the confidence we have, that they will further enhance Overland prestige.

The prices are \$850 for the Big Four, \$985 for the Light Six, while we have them to deliver until May 1st—thereafter \$895 and \$1025.

**Aurora Motor Company (Not Inc.)**  
R. H. McDOWELL, CHAS. H. SOLFISBURG, MGR.

Salesroom, 53 South LaSalle Street  
Service Station, 14 N. LaSalle St. Chicago Phone 683



The Willis-Overland Company, Toledo, Ohio

Willis-Knights and Overland Automobiles  
Light Commercial Cars

## The Items Here Mentioned Are Specials for Monday Only

And you should not fail to get down early and avail yourself of these money-saving bargains. Many other items equally as good value.

### \$2.00 TAFFETA SILKS

In fancy broken plaids and checks, 36 inches wide. Rich colors, the greatest silk value ever offered in Aurora. Monday special, per yard ..... **\$1.25**

### DRESSER COVERS

Size 18x50, fancy lace inset and lace edge. A 50c value wherever you go, but for Monday it's a special at ..... **39c**

## \$25 and \$27.50 Suits, Monday at \$19.75

Your unrestricted choice, of all our high grade suits selling at these prices. They are this season's newest and most stylish models and at Monday's price you let a chance to save money escape you if you don't avail yourself of this bargain opportunity.

### MERCERIZED LINEN SUITING

50c value under present conditions; come in all wanted colors, warranted to wash and retain its lustre. Monday special, per yd. .... **35c**

### LADIES' \$5.00 SKIRTS

Made from all wool poplin, new and stylish models, all sizes and a big value at Monday's price of ..... **\$3.69**

## Ladies' \$10 Serge Coats \$7.50

Made from a fine quality all wool serge, in black and blue; belted. An ideal coat for ladies of middle age, and a big bargain at this price.

### NURSERY STRIPE GINGHAM

A fast color fabric in all wanted stripes. A 15c value, but with us a special for Monday at per yard ..... **10c**

### CREPE DE CHINE CORSET COVERS

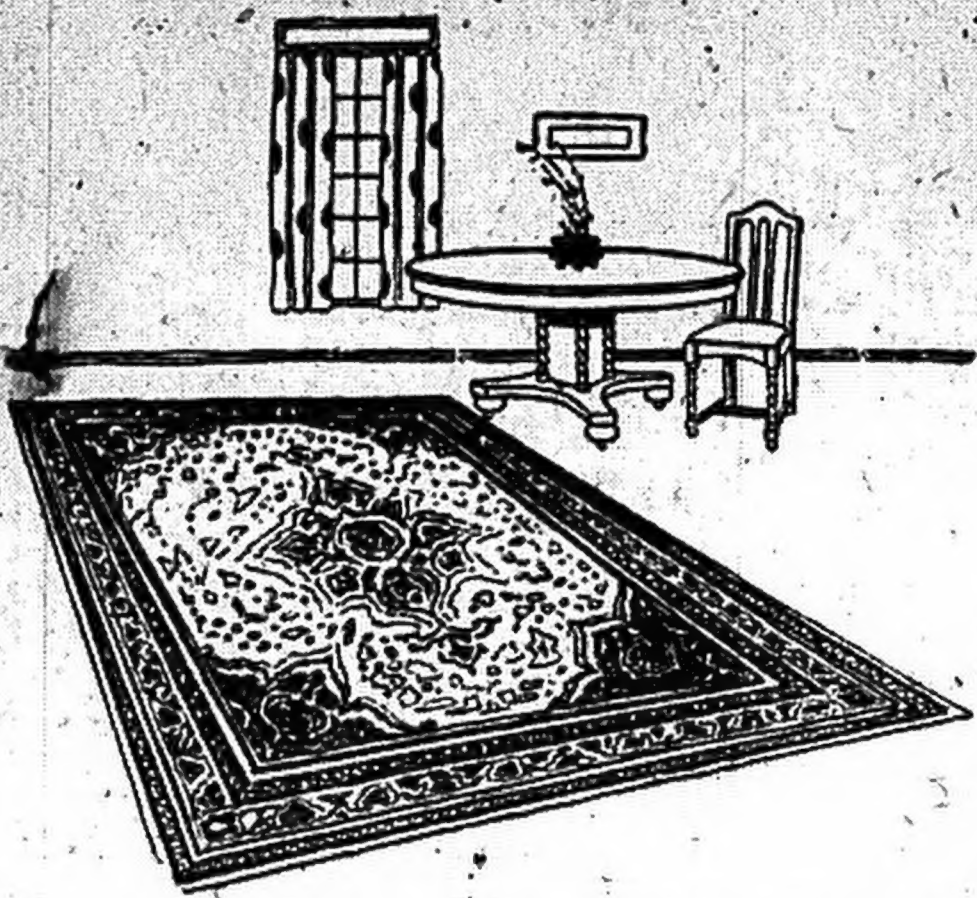
Made from all silk crepe de chine and lace insertion, with lace edge around yoke and sleeves. Monday special ..... **50c**







# RUGS!



With a Stock That Justifies Our Enthusiasm We Announce Our

## Monday Rug Values

The Monday Rug values we have offered the people of Aurora and vicinity have proven so popular, that we have decided to give special values in Rugs again tomorrow. Remember, these prices are for Monday only.

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| 8.3x10.6 Tapestry Brussels, all worsted face   | \$15.50 | 9x12 Velvet, good wearing quality          | \$18.80 |
| 9x12 Tapestry Brussels, neat all over patterns | \$16.75 | 9x12 Axminster, neat pattern, special      | \$21.75 |
| 6.3x10.6 Velvet, one of the newest designs     | \$17.65 | 9x12 Wilton Velvet, extra quality, special | \$38.75 |

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| 3 Rooms Complete | \$149 | 4 Rooms Complete | \$198 |
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# LEATH'S

31-33 Island Avenue

### BRAZIL MOBILIZING

Rio Janeiro, April 14.—Great activity in military circles is reported by the newspapers. The army staff is said to be studying every phase of national defense including munition production and the protection of the

breach of relations with Austria will ports. Reports are current that a probably occur soon. Telegrams from all points in Brazil report patriotic demonstrations. The police at Rio Paulo were commanded to intervene to save the place of a German newspaper which was attacked by a mob.

WE BUY FOR CASH AND SELL FOR LESS

From Factory to You We Shoe the Whole Family

...THE...

## FOX STREET SHOE MARKET

Will put on sale tomorrow morning, Monday, April 16, a large stock of ladies' and children's Pumps, Slippers and Oxfords in all styles. Also a big variety of men's Oxfords and Shoes.

Men's Tan or Black Outing Shoes, all sizes, for Monday only \$1.81

Men's Black or White Athletic and Bowling Shoes, regular price \$3.80 to \$4.00, our price for Monday \$2.69 only

Men's Dress-up Shoes, in all styles, special for this Monday \$2.69 only

Men's Oxfords, tan or black, English last, all sizes, for Monday only \$3.48



Children's White Shoes, Monday only \$1.29

500 Pair of Ladies' Slippers in 1 or 2 straps, lace or button, tan, black or patent leather, your choice for Monday \$1.29 only

A large assortment of Canvas Pumps, plain 1 or 2 straps, worth up to \$4.00, our price for Monday \$2.39 only



Ladies' White Canvas Shoes, the ladies' style, just for Monday, all sizes, at \$1.97 only

THE DAYLIGHT STORE  
68 Fox St., Aurora, Ill.  
OSCAR BERNSTEIN, Mgr.

## WILL RESIGN AS BOARD MEMBER

George Dieterich to Leave East Side School District at the Next Meeting.

Special Election Must Be Held—Time Too Short for Regular Ballot.

George N. Dieterich will resign as member of the Aurora east district school board at the next meeting of the board. Mr. Dieterich has notified W. S. Beaupre, secretary of the board, that he has arranged to move from the east district to the west district. Secretary Beaupre notified the president of the board, M. C. Southworth, and asked for an opinion regarding the matter of filling a vacancy. Judge Southworth's opinion is that the law specifies that when the unexpired term is for one year or more a special election must be called. The term of Mr. Dieterich would expire in April, 1915, and therefore with a year of the term left, a special election will be called. Judge Southworth said. The matter will be given attention at the next meeting at which time the resignation of Mr. Dieterich is expected to be given. Judge Southworth said, "We need a complete board because of the increased amount of work in connection with the schools and it is necessary that a special election be called."

A Special Election. School elections are held under the Australian balloting system and candidates must file with the secretary of the board 10 days before an election. It is now too late to file for the regular election next Saturday. Mr. Dieterich sold his residence in Main street. He failed to find another house suitable for his family on the east side and has purchased a home in Grand avenue.

Mr. Dieterich was elected to the school board twice. His first election was in 1912 and he was on the ticket with W. S. Beaupre and Louis Staudt. He was re-elected in 1915. He is chairman of the committee on industrial and household arts, was the "father" of the course of printing being given in the schools. He is a champion of vocational training in the schools. He had much to do with planning the new Beaupre school at the east end of Benton street, one of the most modern buildings in this section and with the planned im-

## ESNORFF-MEMHARDT

Miss Martha Memhardt and John Esnorff were married Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock at St. Paul's Lutheran church. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. M. Loth. The bride wearing a handsome gown of white crepe de chine and georgette crepe, wore a veil of tulle and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley.

The bride attended by the Misses Helen Miller, Eva Crawford and Myrtle Spire, while the groomsmen were G. Blood of Morgan Park, Charles Sells of Chicago and Arthur Memhardt, brother of the bride. The latter gave the bride away. A wedding supper was served later at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Memhardt, 208 South Jackson street. The bride and groom will reside for the present with Mr. and Mrs. Memhardt. Among those present were from out of town Mrs. Hecker and daughter of Blue Island; Mrs. William Becker, Chicago, Ill., and Mrs. C. P. Esnorff (the former associated with Bishop Fellows), Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. William Archer, Forest Park, John Esnorff, father of the groom, Mrs. Floyd McDrew and daughter, Oregon; Mrs. Gessinger, Forest Park; Mr. and Mrs. Warlick, Oregon; Mrs. F. C. Steaghs, South Haven, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Sullivan of Chicago.

## U. S. MARINE IS SOLDIER OF THE SEA, NOT SAILOR

Washington, April 14.—The great American public is realizing now more than ever the fact that our Marine corps maintains separate and distinct recruiting stations from the other branches of our national defense and that altho the Marine goes to sea, he is a soldier—not a sailor—does not serve his country entirely on the ocean wave, according to Major General George Barnett, the commandant of the "soldiers of the sea."

The present crisis is causing many patriotic young men to investigate the different avenues in which they may protect the freedom which they enjoy, and those undecided as to whether they would "do their bit" as a soldier or a sailor are enlisting in the Marine corps as a "soldier and sailor, too."

No matter how many mistakes a cooking school bride makes she will bawl like she is heartbroken if her hubby doesn't eat them cheerfully.

## GRAIN MARKET PRICES HOLD

This Despite the Outspoken Advocacy of Government Control of Food. WHEAT IN UPWARD SWEEP

(By Associated Press Local Wire.) Chicago, April 14.—Despite temporary setbacks due to outspoken advocacy of government control of prices, the grain and provision markets this week have retained the greater part of seasonal advances that resulted largely from official estimates of unexpectedly severe crop damage, and from sharp competition between exporters and millers. Compared with a week ago, wheat this morning was up 1/2¢, corn 3/4¢ and oats 1/2¢. The wheat market showed signs of upward sweep of values. Monday after embracing some of the high price record, the market underwent a decided break due chiefly to selling by holders who believed that the government report showed that winter crop at the worst stage and that some improvement in field conditions would be taken place. Heavy selling of margins counted also as a transient bearish factor and so, too, did gossip of a possible huge increase of spring wheat sowing. It was noted, however, that the biggest fall of the week took place in quotations, a consequence apparently of the fact that the head of one of the strongest houses on board had gone openly on record as urging immediate radical government measures to regulate prices.

Big rebounds which mainly characterized the course of the wheat market on the succeeding days were ascribed for the most part to brisk demand from seaboard and milling interests. How acute the call would become from these sources was said to depend in a measure on the length of time which must elapse before some relief would be afforded by the opening of navigation on the great lakes. Corn and oats borrowed much of their strength from wheat, but there were also independent advances based on reports that scores of distilleries would be exclusively used for the manufacture of denatured alcohol needed for military explosives.

High record values for corn and hogs lifted provisions but the effect was partly offset by selling in which packers were said to have taken a liberal hand.

(By Associated Press Local Wire.) Washington, April 14.—Cotton continuing during March was 602.22 running

## LASSERS & CO. BARGAIN STORE

Look for the Red Front MONDAY ONLY!

LADIES' DRESS WAISTS

Your Choice of All Our \$1.25 Waists only

95c Sixty South Broadway

# Bargain Day Monday

These offerings you will recognize just how much was cut off from the regular prices. At no other time or place could you ever expect to see such low prices as these.

## FITTED MUSLIN CORSET COVERS

New stock of ladies' fitted corset covers, embroidery edge trimmed, either the regular or large size, garment.....29c

## GEORGETTE ORÉPE BLOUSE, \$4.19

\$5.00 georgette crepe waists for Monday, each \$4.19, handsome styles in flesh, grey, green or white colors \$4.19

## LADIES' HOUSE DRESSES, ON SALE FOR ONLY 98c

You know the quality garments we carry, big assortment for the day, only, 98c each

## PRETTY DARK FLOWERED PETTICOATS, EACH 97c

Well made garments, have been retailing at \$1.19, Monday sale, each, 97c

## MIDDY BLOUSES FOR 53c

You couldn't buy material that is in the blouse for price we're asking for garment, for the Bargain Day only 53c

## DON'T MISS TO GET ONE OF THESE BREAKFAST SETS FOR 69c

Come made up in light or dark percale, set consisting of separate skirt and blouse, only a few for the Bargain Day sale, 69c set

## \$1.25 UMBRELLA FOR 98c

Be prepared for A showers, get a steel ribbed frame, tape edge taffeta covering, 28-inch size umbrella, for 98c only

## SIX LADIES' FINE EMBROIDERED CAMBRIC HANDKERCHIEFS FOR 27c

Good embroidered handkerchiefs, big selection, 6 for 27c

## CAMEO CAMBRIC, YARD, 16c

Extra fine quality white cambric muslin, Cameo No. 1000, 36 inches wide, for Monday, yard 16c

## LADIES' BLACK GAUZE LIGLE HOSE, PER PAIR, 21c

Here's a big value in ladies' fast black gauze ligle hose, with double sole, heel and toe, high apliced heel, buy plenty at the price, pair 21c

## WHITE WASHABLE CHAMOISETTE GLOVES, PAIR, 52c

Just arrived ladies' white chamoisette washable gloves, two clasps, for sale day, pair 52c

## DRESS INDIA LINON, PER YARD, 11c

Sheer 15c white India linon, even round thread, superior finish, 27 inches wide, for one day only, yard 11c

Cooper Bros.

Fox and Broadway  
TELEPHONES — Chicago 1799 or Interstate 268

## Healthier Hens; Better Layers —By Feeding Them— Western Star Poultry Food

A nutritive food ration scientifically mixed, composed of wheat, barley, cracked corn, Kaffir corn, sunflower seed and charcoal, without grit. It is a vitality builder chickens crave.

Manufactured by the Aurora City Mills Co. Aurora, Illinois. Wholesale and Retail Both Phones 22

## THE OXSUL STORE THE STORE FOR EVERYBODY 57 North Broadway Both Phones 6

|                                   |     |
|-----------------------------------|-----|
| Yellow Onion Sets, per pound      | 20c |
| Seeds, 6 packages for             | 25c |
| Rice, 3 pounds for                | 20c |
| Salt, 3 sacks for                 | 10c |
| Swift's Pride Soap, 7 bars for    | 25c |
| Quaker Oats, per package          | 8c  |
| Bulk Cocoa, per pound             | 18c |
| K. C. Baking Powder, 2 ounces for | 20c |
| Uneda Biscuits, per package       | 4c  |

B. Ochsenchlagel and C. Sutherland, Props.

## Gone! But Their Memory Not Forgotten!

Men will come and men will go, but some men's memories last for evermore. Stalking down the passage of time there's the light in your heart that can't be extinguished. Nothing will more fittingly express your dear one's insolvable character than a monument hewed by our craftsmen. We do their memories justice: distinct designs — expressions in granite: original, in choice, subject to your order.

A. F. LOHMANN & COMPANY  
New Location—12-14-16 South Lake St., Aurora  
One-Half Block North of Old Premises. Both Phones

# Harley and High Taxes

Taxpayers of the City of Aurora this year paid 26½ per cent more taxes for CITY PURPOSES ALONE than they did in 1915.

## Look at the Backs of Your Tax Receipts

People's Independent Party Campaign Committee

ADVERTISEMENT.



Gingham Aprons 2 for 25c  
**Economy Store**  
 32 Lincoln Way  
 Tea Aprons 25c  
 19c

## Children's Gingham

### Dresses

Odds and ends from  
 the factory of

G. W. Eade & Co.

Special for Monday **45c** Sizes from 2 to 14

**Buehler Bros**  
**CUT RATE MARKETS**  
 114 Main Street

Monday Only, April 16

|                    |     |
|--------------------|-----|
| REG. HAMS,         | 22c |
| PER lb.            |     |
| BACON, BY STRIP,   | 24c |
| PER lb.            |     |
| LINCOLN BUTTERINE, | 22c |
| PER lb.            |     |
| KOD FISH           | 14c |
| PER lb.            |     |

## STOP FOOD LOSS, GOVERNMENT WARNS

Keep Perishables Cool, Clean and Covered, Says U. S. Farm Bulletin on Conservation.

Guard Against Flies, Rats and Mice—Store Vegetables and Fruits Properly.

Heat, dirt, improper handling, flies, insects, and rats or mice are the greatest food wasters.

Keep perishables cool, clean, and covered.

The moment meat, fish, milk, and eggs are allowed to get warm they begin to spoil.

Bacteria and germs multiply rapidly in slightly warm food, and quickly make it dangerous or unfit to eat.

Keep perishable foods in the coolest, cleanest place you can provide, preferably in a good refrigerator, or ice house, but, at any rate, in covered vessels suspended in the well, or in the coolest clean place in your home or cellar.

Do not keep perishable foods in a hot kitchen or pantry or in a sunny place a moment longer than is necessary.

Dry cold is a better preservative than damp cold.

Keep Food Covered.

The dust particles in the air carry molds and germs.

Heat, dirt, and insects are ideal breeding grounds for such germs. Keep your food covered so that these bacteria and germs will have as little chance as possible to get on your food.

House flies—better called "typhoid flies"—are among the dirtiest things that enter our homes. They fly from sewers, privies, and manure heaps, carrying filth on their feet, which they deposit on any food on which they light. Frequently germs of typhoid fever are carried by flies in the filth on their bodies, and in their excrement (fly spack).

Ordinary cleanliness demands that flies be kept out of our homes and away from our food.

Health protection makes it essential to banish flies. Keep all food covered, or at least screened from their carriers of deadly disease and filth. Destroy flies by every possible means.

Guard Food Against Vermin.

Rats and mice destroy millions of dollars' worth of food and other property every year in homes, or farms and in business establishments. Many rats harbor the germs of bubonic plague. Trap and kill them. Look upon every mouse as an enemy to your property.

Eradicate roaches and house ants. Keep weevils out of cereals.

Keep your food where such pests can not reach it.

Keep household pets away from food.

Don't let fresh vegetables or fruits wilt or lose their flavor or begin to rot because they are handled carelessly. Keep perishable vegetables in cool, dry, well-aired, and for most vegetables, dark rather than light places.

Learn how to store potatoes, cabbage, root crops, fruits, and other foods so that they will keep properly for later use.

Don't think that any place in the cellar or pantry is good enough to store food.

Heat, dampness, poor ventilation, bruising or breaking will rapidly make vegetables rot, ferment, or spoil. Warmth and light make vegetables sprout and this lowers their vitality.

Can we preserve surplus?

When there is a surplus of fruits or vegetables that will spoil if kept, cook or stew them and keep them cold and covered for use in a day or two.

Can we preserve all surplus food from gardens for winter use. In a morning's work with ordinary home utensils, you can put up many cans of vegetables and fruit for winter use. If you have no garden, watch the markets. When any fruit or vegetable that can be canned becomes plentiful and cheap, buy a quantity and can it for home use next winter.

Be a Food Conservator.

Write today to the U. S. department of agriculture or to your state agricultural college for full information as to how to keep food in the household and how to can and preserve all surplus fruits and vegetables.

Demonstrate thrift in your home. Make saving rather than spending your social standard.

Beacon News want and make realties out of wishes.

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AGIRLS' Dresses

Sizes 2 to 16

\$1.29 to \$2.99

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New York, April 14.—The farmers of New York state can borrow money to finance the planting, harvesting and marketing of crops at 4 1/2 per cent interest on their personal notes without endorsement. Twenty million dollars for this purpose has been pledged by patriotic bankers of New York and \$500,000 in cash already has been deposited in a New York bank as a guarantee.

## A 30 Day Stationery Drive 20% Discount

on the finest Correspondence Stationery manufactured. Geo. B. Hurd & Co.'s

LAWNETTE POLO LINEN  
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40c Quality Paper and Envelopes.....32c  
 50c Quality Paper and Envelopes.....40c  
 60c Quality Paper and Envelopes.....48c  
 70c Quality Paper and Envelopes.....56c

CORRESPONDENCE CARDS at a proportionate reduction. Your inspection is solicited as these are most extraordinary values.

**STAUDT BROTHERS**  
 DRUGGISTS 16 So. BROADWAY

## The Bride's Jewels

A PLEASING personal gift for the bride is a gem (usually her birthstone) set in gold or platinum.

Such a gift can be expensive or inexpensive, as preferred, depending upon the quality and size of the gem, and the style of the mounting.

We are always glad to submit designs and estimates (without charge) for mounting gems in accordance with the individual preferences of the customer.

**J. C. Mahon**

Jeweler and Silversmith  
 Six Broadway Aurora

Why not you too?



Follow This Man's Example. Mail the Coupon Today. After Wednesday, April 25th, it would be useless to send it

## BECAUSE—

the sets of the Encyclopaedia Britannica, "Handy Volume" issue, now on hand will be so nearly all sold by that time that it will be too late for us to send out any more of these descriptive books.

We do not ask you to buy the Britannica without finding out for yourself just how it will be of practical value to you, but get the descriptive book now so you'll be able to make an intelligent decision, so you will know for yourself whether or not the Britannica will be useful to you. NOW is the time to send the coupon.

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### Your Store's 10th Anniversary and Celebration Begins Tomorrow

In the passing of our tenth year of business, we feel a great pride, not in the mere volume of business, not in the progress of the store—but chiefly in the manifestation of confidence that the public has shown in our efforts. We have felt from the first day we opened the doors of this store, that we were obligated in more than the mere selling of merchandise—we have a service to render to the people of this community in providing for their wants with

Absolutely Dependable Merchandise—The Best and the Newest Styles—Prices Always the Lowest.

To have ideals and to strive and live up to them; to consider this business from your viewpoint; to always maintain fair prices and one price to all; to advertise sincerely and truthfully—these are but a few of the thoughts that have inspired this business.

First we want to express our appreciation of your confidence, and thanks for your patronage—and in this Anniversary Sale we propose to express it in a very material manner.

Anniversary Prices Are Made in Appreciation of Past Patronage, and to Make New Friends

**Coats \$10.98** Included in this lot are coats of Gabardine, Poplin and Serge, the newest colorings and styles suitable to all tastes. Values that are unusual. Anniversary Sale Price \$10.98 only.

**Coats \$14.75** Some of the season's smartest garments in all the popular colors, materials Velour, Burella, Poplin and Gabardine, large collars, high waist line. Anniversary Sale Price \$14.75 only.

### A Liberal Reduction on Every Coat in the Store

**Suits \$14.75** These come in all the leading shades, material Poplin, Serge and Gabardine, severe or plain styles. Anniversary Sale Price \$14.75.

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## AWAIT SYMPHONY CONCERT PROGRAM

Chicago Symphony Orchestra  
Will Present Three Programs  
at Syvandel Tomorrow.

Annual Spring Concert for School  
Children and Adults at 2 to 3  
and 4 to 5 o'clock.

Tomorrow will be remembered in  
Aurora musical history as a red let-  
ter day and long to be recalled with  
pleasure.

The annual spring concert of the  
Aurora Symphony concert series un-  
der the direction of Mrs. Theodore  
Worden will occur at Syvandel.

The great Chicago Symphony or-  
chestra (founded by Theodore  
Thomas) will play at two concerts in  
the afternoon for the special benefit  
of the school children and pupils and  
adults as well.

The first concert will be from 2 to  
3 o'clock and the second from 4 to 5  
o'clock. Exactly the same program will  
be given.

Songs to the accompaniment of the  
orchestra will be sung by a chorus of  
100 voices from the grade schools. The  
children have been drilled by Miss  
Margaret Pouk and Glenn C. Stables,  
supervisors of music in both school  
districts.

Special Rate Is Made.

Pupils and teachers will be ad-  
mitted at a special rate of 25 cents.  
Adults will be admitted to either con-  
cert at a rate of 50 cents. Tickets  
must be secured at any of the school  
houses tomorrow morning. No tickets  
for the afternoon concert will be  
sold at the box office.

The complete program for the af-  
ternoon concert follows:

March from Music to "A Midsum-  
mer Night's Dream," Mendelssohn

Suite from the Ballet "Casse-  
Noisette," (Tchaikovsky), Opus

71a. Tchaikovsky

I. Overture Miniature

II. Danes Characteristics:

(a) Marche. (b) Danes de la

Fee Drages.

(c) Trepek. Danes Russe. (d)

Danes Arabes. (e) Danes

des Mirillons. (f) Danes

des Fleurs

Children's songs:

(a) The Clock. Wolf-Ferrari

(b) The Owl. Granville Bantock

(c) Foreign Children. Victor Herbert

(d) Robin Redbreast. Julius Roentgen

(e) The Desert. Henry Hadley

Conducted by Margaret F. Pouk.

Meditation from "Thais," Massenet

Violin Obligato by Mr. Harry

Walsbach.

Moment musical. Schubert-Stock

Children's Songs:

(a) The Tambourines. Jeanne

Phillips Rameau

(b) Harvest Slumber Song. E.

Humperdinck

(c) Rain in Summer. Otto Miesner

(d) The Invitation. Charles

Steford

(e) Sun Worshippers (Zuni In-

Indian Melody). H. W. Loomis

Conducted by Glenn C. Stables.

Wedding Procession from "Fara-

mos."

Overture. "In Springtime," Opus

26. Goldmark

Concerto for Violin No. 3, B Minor

Opus 61. Saint-Saens

Allegro non Troppo.

Andantino Quasi Allegretto.

Molto Moderato. E. Maestoso.

Allegro non Troppo.

INTERMISSION.

Symphony No. 4, "The Celtic," B

Minor, Opus 74. Tchaikovsky

Adagio—Allegro—Andante—Alle-

gro Vivo.

Allegro Con Grazia.

Allegro Molto Vivace.

Adagio Lamentoso.

A few tickets for the evening con-

cert may be had at Syvandel box

office tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

As there are only a few, those who

intend going are advised to go at the

box office promptly at that hour.

There will be the usual special

train arrangements for the concert to-

morrow evening. Special cars will

be run on the Interurban and in

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TO CALL AUSTRIA PARLIAMENT

Amsterdam, via London, April 14.

A Vienna dispatch says that the

Austrian parliament will be sum-

moned to meet in the middle of May.

The German newspapers say that

not only is Philip Scheidemann, lead-

er of the majority socialists, on his

way to Stockholm, but that he is ac-

companied by three prominent Ger-

man socialists, Addier, Ersberger and

Hasse. The four men are travelling

on special passports and it is be-

lieved in Berlin socialist circles that

they will meet envoys of the Russian

government with whom they will

proceed to Petrograd.

## PUZZLING WILL CASE COMING UP

Court to Hear Contest Growing  
Out of Fight on Chris Sorg  
Final Settlement.

He Made Bequests of but \$27,000  
While Leaving Estate Said to  
Be Worth \$75,000.

The case growing out of the con-  
test on the will of the late Christian  
Sorg who made bequests of but \$27,-  
000 altho he left an estate said to be  
valued at \$75,000, will be placed on  
the trial calendar, it is expected at  
the next session of the Kane county  
circuit court, April 24.

"Chris" Sorg, as Mr. Sorg was best  
known, was 31 years old when he died  
last year.

The will was made Feb. 2, 1916, and  
was witnessed by Dr. George Haas, C.  
H. Warrham and August Spink.

The will directs that Jacob Binder be  
named as executor. Peter Klein was  
named administrator collect.

The will provides for a direct dis-  
tribution of only \$27,000 of a sup-  
posed \$75,000 estate to relatives and  
public institutions. A provision in  
the will which is most puzzling pro-  
vides for the distribution of the bal-  
ance of the estate as follows:

"And lastly the residue of my es-  
tate not hereinbefore provided to be  
divided among worthy charitable in-  
stitutions or societies in a manner  
that may seem equitable in the judg-  
ment of my executor of this last will  
and testament."

## SPANISH-GERMAN CRISIS CALLED GRAVE

[By Associated Press Lined Wire.]  
Madrid, April 14, via Paris.—For-  
eign Minister Gimeno has an-  
nounced that the protest to Germany  
in regard to the sinking of the  
Spanish steamer San Fulgencio was  
sent to the Spanish ambassador in  
Berlin Saturday in a diplomatic  
note and not transmitted thru the  
German ambassador at Madrid.

The gravity of the situation is empha-  
sized by all the newspapers. The  
semi-official Diario Universal, after  
saying that the ministers reached an  
unanimous decision as to the course  
of the government at a cabinet meet-  
ing Thursday continues: "We do not  
know what their decisions are but  
we realize that their importance is  
such as to produce a complete solidari-  
ty of the cabinet. The moment is  
grave for Spain which no longer can  
abstract herself from the reverbera-  
tions of the events transpiring around  
her."

The Correspondencia De Espana  
says: "It would be wrong to dis-  
card the reality of the facts which  
are forcing themselves upon us in-  
exorably."

to buyers, sellers, tenants, landlords, em-  
ployers, employees, etc.

It is contended that this paragraph  
would enable the executor to give the  
money to institutions or societies in  
Alaska, South America, China or any  
remote part of the world.

Mr. Sorg was born in Germany. He  
resided in the United States for 30  
years and did not keep in touch with  
his brothers and sisters in the old  
world. He didn't know whether they  
were living or dead.

## PLAN 600,000 NATIONAL GUARD

This Decision of Judge Advocate  
General Is Approved by Sec-  
retary of War Baker.

Dependents of All Soldiers to Be  
Paid \$15 Monthly While the  
Men Are in Service.

[By Associated Press Lined Wire.]  
Washington, D. C., April 14.—Sec-  
retary Baker today approved a deci-  
sion of the judge advocate general  
which foreshadows raising the

strength of the national guard to  
600,000 men on a war footing.

The senate military affairs commit-  
tee, working on amendments to the  
national defense act has decided to  
recommend increasing the number of  
machine gun companies in each army  
division.

Another proposal which will be ac-  
cepted by committee is to pay depen-  
dents of soldiers \$15 monthly while  
they are in the service, a half year's  
pay to them if killed and twice that  
to survivors of men in the aviation  
corps.

Doubling the pay of all enlisted  
men was urged before the committee  
today by Senator Hughes.

Another reform advocated by Sen-  
ator Hughes was appointment of all  
West Point cadets from the regular  
army ranks as a move toward dem-  
ocratizing the entire service.

## ARCHIE ROOSEVELT WEDS

[By Associated Press Lined Wire.]  
Boston, April 14.—Archibald R.  
Roosevelt, son of Col. Theodore  
Roosevelt, and Miss Grace S. Lock-  
wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.  
Thomas S. Lockwood of this city,  
were married at noon today in Em-  
manuel Episcopal church. Among  
those attending the ceremony were  
Colonel and Mrs. Roosevelt, Mr. and  
Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt Jr. and Mr.  
and Mrs. Kermit Roosevelt Jr. and  
Mrs. Richard Derby, and Quentin  
Roosevelt, who acted as best man.  
Miss Mary Hunnwell of this city was  
maid of honor.

## ST. PETERSBURG AGAIN

Amsterdam, via London, April 14.—  
German correspondents on the Rus-  
sian and Swedish frontiers report  
that the Russian provisional govern-  
ment intends to change the name of  
the capital back to St. Petersburg.

The government is said to have de-  
cided upon this because Petrograd  
recalls to every Russian the saddest  
time in Russian history.

Review State Cadets.

Champaign, Ill., April 14.—Twenty-four  
hundred cadets, the product of military  
training at the University of Illinois,  
were reviewed today by members of the  
Illinois legislature who are inspecting the  
school. The cadets were led in parade  
by the student band of 340 pieces.

Convocation exercises, presided over by  
State Senator Henry M. Dunlap, were held.

## Big 3 Day Sale of Home Nursery Stock

Thursday, Friday and Satur-  
day, April 19, 20 and 21

A large wholesale contract brings about a  
most timely and seasonable retail sale  
event on the above days when prices will  
be quoted considerably under regular  
value.

SHRUBS, ROSES, VINES, FRUIT  
TREES, BERRY BUSHES, STRAW-  
BERRY PLANTS AND OTHER HARDY  
GARDEN STOCK

We're getting ready for it now. Watch  
this paper for further announcements  
and prices.

**AURORA NURSERY CO.**  
J. A. Young, President and Manager

## Mrs. Deming

At Weill's 25 S. Broadway  
QUALITY FIRST

**Bargains for Monday  
Shoppers!**

We will place on sale one lot  
of ladies' gauntlet kid gloves.  
A suitable driving glove; cheap  
at \$1.50. Sale price **\$1.00**  
only.

One lot of slightly soiled hand-  
kerchiefs. Values up to **5c**  
10c; 2 for **25c**.

One lot of ladies' flannel  
aprons; some plain, others neat-  
ly trimmed. Values up to **25c**  
75c; sale **50c**.

Special lot of large crops col-  
lars. The best value we **50c**  
ever offered.

One lot of caskets, to close out, \$3.50 values for  
only **\$2.89**.

One lot medium and low bust; large elastic patch  
in back. \$2.00 value **\$1.69**.

One dollar lace or embroidery trimmed, sale price  
only **79c**.

# WALK-OVER BOOT SHOP CLOSED!

(BY JOS. REISING)

## LAST MINUTE NEWS

Joe Reising Purchases Local Walk-Over Shoe  
Store and Takes Over Stock.

FIXTURES AND ALL INVENTORY \$25,000.00

Just in time for the last page before going to press, The Beacon-News  
is able to confirm the message that Joe Reising, well known Broadway shoe  
merchant, has completed a deal whereby he becomes the sole owner of Walk-  
Over Boot Shop, for many years conducted at 16 South Broadway.

As one of the most notable business transactions in Aurora's shoe circles  
during many months, this announcement will come as a spectacular bit of news  
to the 75,000 human beings in the great Fox River Valley. It is rumored that  
the whole of the Walk-Over stock will be moved to the Reising store, where  
this famous make of footwear will form an important junction with the sale  
of other equally well made shoes.

One thing is certain. The solid reputation of Walk-Over Boot Shop in  
this territory, coupled with that of the Reising institution, will form a combi-  
nation most effective and gratifying to the public.

Further developments will be made known by coming announcements in  
these columns.

## THE Walk-Over Boot Shop at 16 South Broadway is no more.

Highly regarded by those who demand shoes of known standard, the Walk-Over  
line will now become affiliated with other dependable stocks under one roof. After having purchased the  
stock, fixtures, etc., aggregating an investment of better than \$25,000, and after due deliberation as to the wisdom of con-  
ducting one or two stores, good judgment has directed me to consolidate Walk-Over Shop with my other well equipped and  
organized store across the street, operating the two as one.

That this course of action will result in future profit of my customers is at once significant. One store and one overhead  
expense allows a much lower margin of profit, hence a materially lesser price on the individual pair of shoes.

## Tomorrow We Begin to Move the Stock

Early in the morning a force of men will begin to move shoes, boxes and all to the Reising store, in preparation of the great-  
est shoe selling event in Aurora's merchandising annals—a sale of sales, one to be known in history as a true godsend. be-  
cause of the present ridiculously high prices of all footwear. The great buying public—and this means you—is now urged  
to make ready for the most wonderful feast of shoe bargains a month of April has ever showered or the years have so far  
made possible.

# GIGANTIC ABSORPTION SALE BEGINS WED., APRIL 18th

The acquisition of Walk-Overs' very complete stock will put on our shelves more shoes than we  
can conveniently and profitably afford to carry. At practically the exact wholesale cost, and for  
much less than the same shoes would cost at wholesale today with leather-value not near go good,  
we shall offer, beginning on the above date

## WALK-OVERS' ENTIRE STOCK OF SHOES FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN

No doubt you appreciate right now what this sale will mean to you in point of excellent shoes qual-

ity and money saved. You may be sure that another occasion of like importance is not apt to come  
again for long, especially in the face of constantly increasing prices. Only the most unusual cir-  
cumstances could be responsible for a shoe sale at this time, and this is certainly one brought  
about by such circumstances—a sale on the broadest scale and of a magnitude hardly compre-  
hensible until you see the monster displays. Be prepared! Buy your summer shoes and oxfords,  
your shoes for next winter and for the next five winters to come. You'll never regret it, that's sure.

## REISING'S and The Walk-Over Boot Shop

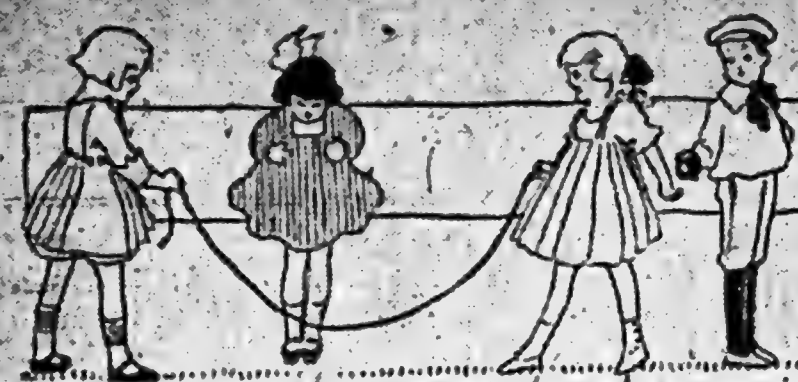
Good Shoes for Men, Women, Children

Make Note of the Location - Number 7 So. Broadway - Aurora

## Important Note:

Mr. A. D. King, manager of the local Walk-Over Boot Shop since  
its inception four years ago, will continue to serve his old patrons  
and friends in the new home as manager of the Walk-Over section.





# FOR THE YOUNG PEOPLE



## Mr. Bat's Speech

OUT in the green woods a dark brown object clung to an old brier and swayed gently with each gust of wind. Baltimore Oriole and his wife, Lady Oriole, spied it.

"A dead leaf," guessed Baltimore.

"A coccinelle," said Lady Oriole, who hopped carefully around the queer object.

As they peered at the dark brown thing they heard a rustling in the bushes. Who did they see there? Well, the newcomers were Mr. and Mrs. Brown Thrasher.

Lady and Baltimore quickly pointed out the thing that puzzled them. But Mr. and Mrs. Brown Thrasher were puzzled too. Brown sadly said: "We do not know what nor who it is."



I Am Always Clinging Or Flying.

We wanted to build our nest here in this same thick bush, but now we are afraid.

"You should not be afraid," a wee wailing voice told them.

"Did you hear that?" asked Mrs. Brown Thrasher.

"Wasn't it queer?" Lady Oriole replied.

"It will not harm you," said the squeaky voice. "I am Mr. Bat. Perhaps you never heard of me."

"No, indeed," said Lady Oriole.

"Tell us all about yourself," Mrs. Brown Thrasher added as she moved nearer to Mr. Bat.

"I have a slight cold, and my voice is not very strong," he answered, "but since you have never heard of me nor seen me before I will try."

"If you will talk carefully, you will see that I am hanging to the brier by my feet. I am always clinging or

## FUN IN THE ATTIC ON A RAINY DAY

THE afternoon was rainy. Outdoors was gloomy; indoors seemed gloomy, too. Or at least so thought the Travers children. Jane and Tom, when they tried to find some way to amuse themselves.

"I tell you," cried Tom, his eyes brightening for the first time that afternoon. "Call up your friend, Marie, and we'll all go up to the attic. You and I haven't been up there for a long time. Want to?"

"Goody, goody," said Jane, clapping her hands. "That is just what we will do. You wait here until I telephone Marie and ask her to come over." And the little miss ran off in high spirits.

Now if you have never heard of the attic in the Travers house you have a treat in store for you. In the first place the Travers family is a very big one. There are aunts and uncles, cousins, sisters and brothers—indeed, all the relatives that a family could have. Jane and Tom could hardly remember a month when a new relative did not come to their house from some far-away place.

Once it was an uncle from Africa, who brought with him boxes filled with rare stuffed birds of flaming colors; then again, it was an aunt who

collected shells and who gave them enough for their own collections to make them the envy of the neighborhood.

Always something new happened to this family. It was the kind of a family that one reads about. But the best part of all was that, while something new happened at least every month, there was enough to interest the children between times in the attic, where the old happenings of long ago could be recalled at any time.

For instance, Tom's great-grandfather was a captain in the Revolutionary War. His old uniform and sword were stored away carefully in a trunk with a few other relics of the time. Tom loved to don this coat, torn and spotted as it was, and pretend that he commanded a company of soldiers. He would flourish the sword in the air and cry, "Forward, men!" with a ring in his voice that made Jane thrill with pride.

Then there was the trunk full of dresses that Jane's aunts wore during the time of the Civil War. One old flowered dress had large hoops in the skirt to make it stand out; and when Jane put it on she looked like a lassie of '63.

Other trunks in the dim attic contained clothes that had been worn at great events. Jane's grandmother's wedding dress was always admired breathlessly. It was yellow with age, but the delicate veil was as beautiful as ever and the long train was as grand as a queen's.

It was this attic with its precious belongings that Tom desired to introduce to Marie, Jane's new cousin, whom he secretly admired. Marie's beautiful golden curls. They were indeed as lovely as curls could possibly be; and Tom felt that the lovely little miss who possessed them would never feel any admiration for him unless he "showed off" before her in some way.

And presently Marie came.

"We are going to play in the attic," said Jane, slipping her arm around her friend's waist. "We've got trunks full of old things to show you."

"How nice! We can play theatre!" suggested Marie.

"Why, so we can," cried out Tom, running up the stairs two at a time. "I never thought of that."

They tripped up the back stairs to the attic door. With a squeak the door to the enchanted room opened

and they all pushed in.

"My, what a big place," gasped Marie. She was right. It was an unusually big attic, for it spread over the whole house.

"Let's start to go through the trunks," said Jane.

"All right," answered the other two

so they pulled it out and slowly lifted the cover.

"Geel!" breathed Tom. "A pirate's suit! Who in our family was a pirate?"

Marie pulled out a pair of baggy trousers, a striped sash and a little velvet jacket.



Jane cried "Beware!" just as a pirate should.

So they began. Out came grand-mother's wedding dress. The "oh's" and "ah's" that greeted it could not have been more enthusiastic at grandmother's own wedding. Then Tom pulled out the soldier coat and the beloved sword. Marie was agreeably thrilled. Tom certainly made a fine picture as he held the sword aloft and cried, "Forwards!"

"What's in that chest over there?" asked Marie, pointing to a corner.

Tom and Jane looked at each other. "We have never seen that box before," they said. "Let's open it."

"Why? Look at this dagger, and oh, here is a moustache," exclaimed Jane.

"People don't leave their moustaches when they die," quietly announced Marie.

"Oh, it must belong to some relative of ours," said Jane, loftily. "Guess he cut it off and saved it. Let's put the things on."

Jane draped the sash around her waist and put on the velvet jacket. She grasped the dagger in her hand and cried: "Beware!" just as a pirate should. Tom looked mighty fierce in

## The Useful Boy

I'd rather be a happy boy  
Without a single little toy  
Than have a dozen games to play  
And be unhappy all the day.

And I have found that as a rule  
I have a picnic with a spoon,  
Or with a box or stick or hoe  
Or with the lovely things that grow.

For I can play and use my brain  
And make the box into a train,  
And that is fun—a great deal more  
Than play-things purchased at a store!

the curly moustache.

"And to think we never saw these things before," said Tom to Jane. "Let's ask Mother to tell us the story of the ancestor who owned them. I bet he belonged to Captain Kidd's crew."

Quickly they threw the things into the chest and ran down stairs.

"Oh Mother," said Jane, "tell us about the pirate in the family. We just found his clothes in the attic."

"Pirate, dear?" asked Mrs. Travers, puzzled. "Why, we have no pirates that I know of."

"Oh yes, we have," said Tom, "and their clothes are in the old chest."

The Mother's eyes twinkled. She sat down and laughed. The tears ran down her cheeks, so hard did she laugh.

"Why, dear," she said, "that pirate suit belongs to your father. Don't you remember that fancy-dress ball he went to a few years ago? He bought the pirate suit then. Didn't you find a false moustache with the suit?"

"Oh yes we did Mother," said Tom, shamefaced and glancing sideways at Marie. "How silly she must think he was!"

"Well, dear," said Mrs. Travers, "I should think that would have told you the suit was a make-believe."

"Marie did say that people don't leave their moustaches when they die, but I thought that I knew better," he confessed.

"Well, she'll forgive you, I know, so run downstairs and see if your cookies and milk are ready for you," said the Mother.

Between gulps of fresh, cold milk and bites of sweet raisin cookies, Tom smiled bashfully at Marie.

"I think we have had a lovely time, even if we did make a mistake," said Marie, as she was leaving. "You're the nicest boy I ever knew," she whispered, squeezing Tom's hand.

"Good-bye," called Jane, "come soon again."

## PETER'S DYE WORKS

ONE day Tillie Roop dropped the end of her red hair ribbon in a basin of water, quite by accident, and found that the water turned a lovely pink. This gave her an idea, so she called her brother Sammy and said:

"Let's have a Dye Factory! I can dye things pink with this old hair ribbon. It's most worn out and I'll ask Mother if I can just have it to play with."

"We'll have the Dye Works in my Indian Tent," said Sammy.

"And not tell what we're dyeing with!" cried Tillie, who just loved secrets above all things. "I have an old blue ribbon, too."

"And we'll charge two pins to dye anything," said Sammy, feeling quite proud of having such a clever sister, although she was two years younger than he—and he was ten.

Well, soon the Dye Works was in full blast. Both Sammy and Tillie were clover with brushes and pencils, so they painted a fine sign and hung it outside on the tent for all to see, then they went inside the tent and waited for business to begin. Sammy fastened the dinner bell to a cord and pulled the cord through a hole in the tent, with a sign above it saying: "Please ring. No admittance."

Soon the bell began to jangle merrily as children came from all around with things to be dyed. Dolls' clothes and handkerchiefs and old straw hats and scraps of all kinds, even paper, were handed to Tillie through a flap in that tent and Sammy dyed them blue or pink or lavender, for they soon found that by mixing some of the blue water with some of the pink water, they got lavender.

Now Peter was only five years old,

and when he came trotting up, he was filled with astonishment to see such a crowd of children around Sammy's tent. He came up running and gave the bell-ropes a good, hard pull.

"It's me," he said, "let me in, Sammy!"

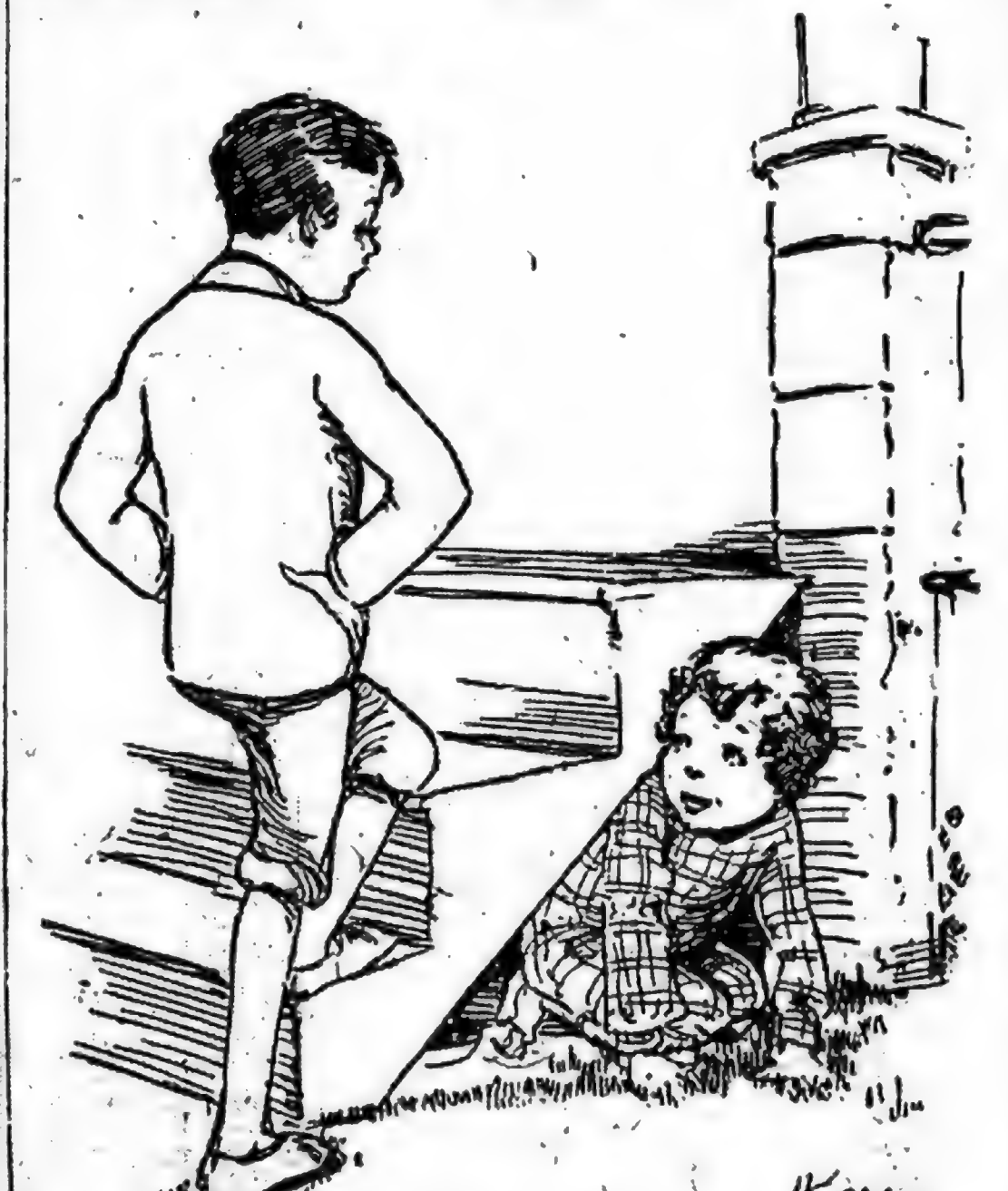
Tillie stuck her head out and said: "No, Peter, you can't come in. This is a Dye Works and it's a secret and we let you see it only to tell. Now go and get some pins and something to dye, and don't pull the bell-ropes so hard, you'll break it."

strips of old muslin and he took and snipped them into little pieces about an inch long. Then he gathered all the pins he could find and ran out to the tent. He certainly kept Sammy and Tillie busy for some time, for he gave them each little snips of muslin separately. He would run all around the tent and ring the bell each time too. When all his muslin and pins were gone, he called excitedly: "Sammy, please let me see the Dye Works!"

"No, Peter," said Sammy firmly.

So then he ran into the house again, for it would never do to let the neighbors' children see his secret!

Mother was in the pantry, icing a cake,



"It's A Secret," Replied Peter.

But Peter felt very indignant that they should have a secret away from him, so he pulled the bell-ropes again. Then Sammy called out in a grown-upish voice: "Peter, that will do! So Peter stopped pulling the bell-ropes, as he was a dear, little fellow and thought that Sammy was almost as grand as Daddy himself.

"Please, Muddy dear, lend me your handkerchief!" he cried, running into the house to his Mother.

"What for, darling?" asked his Mother.

"I want to take it to the Dye Works and get it dyed," said Peter.

"Oh, I'll give you something better than that," replied Mother. "Handkerchiefs are best plain white. So she gave him three nice, long

along now and have a lovely time!"

Soon Peter had started his Dye Works under the poppy steps, where he was secluded and private.

"This way to the new Dye Works!" he shouted. "I can dye any color you want!"

Then the children—there were quite a lot of them by this time—came trooping over and Peter was soon busy dyeing lots of things.

Sammy and Tillie began to wonder where all their customers had gone, for it was soon seen that Peter's Dye Works had more colors in it and everybody went there. Sammy came out of the tent and ran to the porch steps and looked under. There sat Peter with his little tin in front of him, dyeing a doll's petticoat a lovely yellow!

"Peter," said his big brother, "what are you dyeing with?"

"It's a secret," replied Peter.

Sammy thought a while, then he said: "Well, Pete, it's no use having two Dye Works in one family! Come on and move over to the tent and we'll be all right, big Dye Works."

Peter was delighted, of course, so Sammy helped him move and then they did have an exciting time! Such beautiful colors they did dye, and Peter was the happiest child in town, I do believe!

"Muddy dear," he said, as she was putting him to bed that night, "when I don't know what to do and I'm sad, you always make everything all right again, you do, Muddy dear!"

"And did you have a happy day, dear?" asked his Mother.

"Yes, I did!" cried Peter. "And, you know, Muddy dear, I'm big now and can be trusted with secrets for 'cause Sammy told me a secret and Tillie she told me one too! 'Bout the Dye Works, see?"

### APRIL WEATHER

"THIS APRIL WEATHER'S SO  
ABSURD,  
SAID LITTLE MISTRESS ELLA,  
"THAT WHEN THE SUN IS  
SHINING BRIGHT  
I CARRY MY UMBRELLA,  
AND WHEN IT'S POURING OUT  
OF DOORS  
I GO OUT IN THE RAIN  
BECAUSE IT RAINS BEFORE  
IT SHINES  
AND SHINES BEFORE IT  
RAINS!"

## Our Puzzle Corner

**DIAMOND PUZZLE.**

1. A letter.
2. The eye.
3. Sense of feeling.
4. A succulent root.
5. To defeat.
6. To listen.
7. To blight.
8. An animal's home.
9. A letter.

Definitions from Webster's Dictionary.

**A NOTED WRITER.**

My first is what people do when they have palsy.

My second is a pointed weapon.

The whole is the name of a noted writer whose birthday occurs this month.

**ANSWERS.**

**DIAMOND PUZZLE—**

Q-R-B.  
T-O-U-C-H.  
P-A-R-B-N-I-P.  
F-R-U-S-T-R-A-T-E.  
H-E-A-R-K-E-N.  
B-L-A-S-T.  
D-E-N.

**A NOTED WRITER—Shakespeare.**



These youngsters are trying a new kite. See if you can find it by cutting out and correctly putting together the black pieces.

## Dora's Fishing Party

EVER since Dora was old enough to fish in the little stream that ran through the grounds of her summer home, the child was fond of the sport. By and by the bent pin at the end of a string gave way to a real hook and line, and with every new development, Dora's love for fishing grew until she wished that it would always remain summertime so that the fun would never stop.

Now Dora's birthday had a habit of coming around every April with the same regularity as the passing seasons, and each year Dora tried to think out some novel form of entertainment to celebrate the great day. The little lady was to be twelve years old in another week and she set her brain to work for a real new idea. Perhaps it was the word "real" that brought the other "real" to her mind, but suffice it to say that the idea grew from that. She should have a fishing party, and this is the way she planned it: She obtained 14 cards (this number, because she expected 14 girls to spend the afternoon of her birthday at her house), and on each card she wrote the following list of questions:

- 1.—A complaining fish?
- 2.—A tool fish?
- 3.—A cold fish?
- 4.—A warm fish?
- 5.—A crawling fish?
- 6.—An animal fish?
- 7.—A hard fish?
- 8.—A flowery fish?
- 9.—A ruling fish?
- 10.—A wealthy fish?
- 11.—A musical fish?
- 12.—A clinging fish?

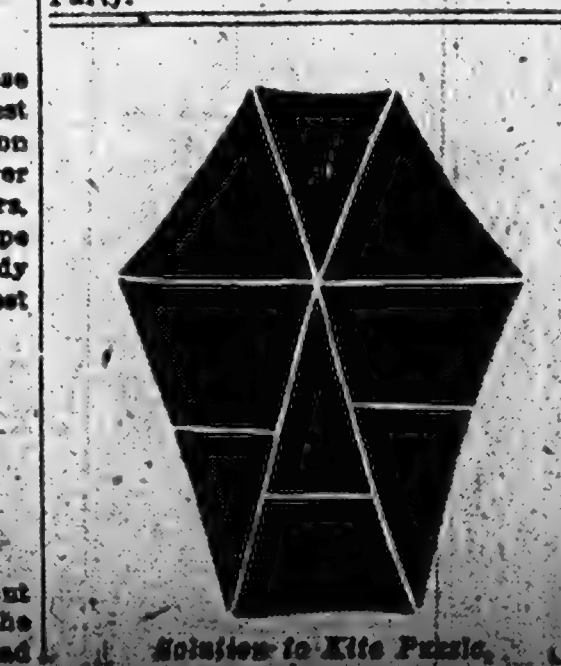
Dora's idea was to distribute these cards among her guests and request them to write opposite each question the name of the fish that would answer to it. Here are the correct answers, and Dora had a large box in the shape of a fish filled with good candies ready for the girl who would write the best list of answers.

- 1.—Angel.
  - 2.—Paradise.
  - 3.—Grunt.
  - 4.—File.
  - 5.—Frost.
  - 6.—Sun.
  - 7.—Snake.
  - 8.—Dog.
  - 9.—Rock.
  - 10.—Rose.
  - 11.—King.
  - 12.—Dollar.
  - 13.—Drum.
  - 14.—Bur.
- The invitations that Dora sent out were the prettiest things at least all the girls invited said they were. Dora had

taken cardboard and had cut out 14 fish about four inches long and three inches wide, and in the body of the fish she wrote:

**FISHING PARTY.**  
APRIL 18th, AT 2:15 O'CLOCK.  
MISS DORA MASON WILL PROVIDE THE LINE AND BAIT.

It is needless to say that all came and hugely enjoyed Dora's Fishing Party.



Solution to Kite Puzzle.



## THE AURORA SUNDAY BLA CON-NEWS

AURORA, ILLINOIS, SUNDAY, APRIL 15, 1917.

## CHICOTTE BLANKS ST. LOUIS BROWNS WITHOUT A HIT

## WHITE SOX WIN

BATTLE 11 TO 0

Sound St. Louis Pitchers While  
Mate Twirls, Best Ball of  
His Career.

SCORE 7 IN ONE ROUND

## Sox-St. Louis Score

| CHICAGO         | AB | R | H | PO | A |
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| Leibold, 1b.    | 5  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 |
| Rieber, 2b.     | 5  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 |
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| Weston, 7b.     | 5  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 |
| Schalk, 8b.     | 5  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 |
| Cleto, 9b.      | 5  | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 |
| Totals          | 40 | 0 | 0 | 0  | 0 |

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## B. B. Standings

| Club         | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|--------------|-----|------|------|
| Chicago      | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| Boston       | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| Cleveland    | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| Washington   | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| St. Louis    | 1   | 2    | .333 |
| Detroit      | 1   | 2    | .333 |
| New York     | 1   | 2    | .333 |
| Philadelphia | 1   | 2    | .333 |

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

| Club         | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|--------------|-----|------|------|
| Chicago      | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| Boston       | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| Cleveland    | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| Washington   | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| St. Louis    | 1   | 2    | .333 |
| Detroit      | 1   | 2    | .333 |
| New York     | 1   | 2    | .333 |
| Philadelphia | 1   | 2    | .333 |

TODAY'S RESULTS.

| Club         | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|--------------|-----|------|------|
| Chicago      | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| Boston       | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| Cleveland    | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| Washington   | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| St. Louis    | 1   | 2    | .333 |
| Detroit      | 1   | 2    | .333 |
| New York     | 1   | 2    | .333 |
| Philadelphia | 1   | 2    | .333 |

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

| Club         | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|--------------|-----|------|------|
| Chicago      | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| Boston       | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| Cleveland    | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| Washington   | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| St. Louis    | 1   | 2    | .333 |
| Detroit      | 1   | 2    | .333 |
| New York     | 1   | 2    | .333 |
| Philadelphia | 1   | 2    | .333 |

WESTERN LEAGUE.

| Club         | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|--------------|-----|------|------|
| Chicago      | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| Boston       | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| Cleveland    | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| Washington   | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| St. Louis    | 1   | 2    | .333 |
| Detroit      | 1   | 2    | .333 |
| New York     | 1   | 2    | .333 |
| Philadelphia | 1   | 2    | .333 |

ST. LOUIS BROWNS.

| Club         | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|--------------|-----|------|------|
| Chicago      | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| Boston       | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| Cleveland    | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| Washington   | 2   | 1    | .667 |
| St. Louis    | 1   | 2    | .333 |
| Detroit      | 1   | 2    | .333 |
| New York     | 1   | 2    | .333 |
| Philadelphia | 1   | 2    | .333 |

CHICAGO WHITE SOX.

run to the swiftest. Up till the ninth inning only one scratch hit was made on his delivery. Knox got their lone take in the final session, when a single got away from Thedde and Pritchard reached third, scoring on a sacrifice fly by Bridgford.











## NEW INTEREST IN STEAM CAR

### Does Not Seem Possible It Can Compete, However, With Gasoline Machine.

### SOME VERY GOOD POINTS

During the first few years of the automobile movement in this country—through the late '90's and a few years of the present century—there was a very close competition between the steam and the gasoline automobile. For a time it seemed that the former might win out for gasoline engines were then extremely crude, unreliable and noisy, while steam engines had been under development for generations. In many instances, steam cars gave better service than gas cars, but the latter were rapidly improved and the demand for the former rapidly dwindled and became comparatively insignificant. However, there has always been a relatively small, but fairly constant demand for the steam car, mainly, it would seem, from a class of persons who were particularly familiar with steam as a motive power in other fields. In particular, with internal combustion practice, and the steam car has been steadily perfected to a very high degree. No unprejudiced person can deny the splendid qualities of power, flexibility, reliability and economy possessed by the modern steam car. Recent developments in this field have aroused widespread interest in this motive power and the question has arisen as to whether a "steam revival" is at hand. Speculation as to this possibility is of little value and we can only await developments. However, unless something more radical in the basic principles of steam car design is brought out than have yet been made public, it would be strange indeed, if the steam car, which could not successfully compete in popularity against the primitive one-and-two-cylinder gas cars of 15 years ago, should be able to make extensive headway against the refined internal combustion cars of today, with their early prospective ability to use heavy hydro-carbon fuels, with the oil and gas engine rapidly coming into use for marine and stationary power purposes, even in large units, as a result of a realization of the superior economy of the internal combustion cycle over that of the steam cycle, it would be remarkable to find the steam engine, which is particularly disadvantageous in small sizes, gaining widespread popularity at the expense of the modern high speed gas motor.

### YOST SIGNS NEW CONTRACT

Followers of University of Michigan football teams would have been surprised to learn, a few weeks ago, that Fielding H. Yost, the mentor of Mase and Blue gridiron performers since 1901, had affixed his name to a contract not offered by the Ann Arbor authorities. There is no cause for gossip in the above announcement. Yost will be back at Ann Arbor next fall, with his smile and his stick. What the famous football instructor really signed was a buyer's order and agreement for a Ford sedan. Yost is a man of few words—except between halves. Michigan's opponents happen to be on the long end of the score—but when he does talk, things begin to take place. He followed his usual custom in buying a Ford car. He didn't advertise for bids but looked the field over, communed with himself, watched the cars on the road every day—and bought a Ford. His conversation with the agent at Natick, Mass., where he spends the winter, was entirely of the "Ford car" variety. After driving his sedan for a time, the "hurry-up" person was moved to more generous speech. "If I could

### Springtime Is Here

Are you prepared for the many needs spring and summer bring? Has the past winter and high cost of living drained your pocketbook and left you with numerous small bills unpaid? Can you use **READY CASH** to a good advantage? If so make your wants known to us, Aurora's best loan concern. We will loan you from \$10.00 to \$200.00 on your **FURNITURE, PIANOS, LIVESTOCK** or any other personal property, same remains in your possession.

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**State Loan Co.**  
Sells 2 Over 40 North Dearborn  
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Loans anywhere within 50 miles of Aurora.

## In the Automobile World

### CHEVROLET FACTORIES ARE WIDELY SCATTERED

The good fortune, said he, "to put out a football team as powerful as my Ford, we'd run away with championship every year." And that's a lot of conversation for Mr. Yost.

### WHY THE EIGHT AND TWELVE CYLINDER AUTOMOBILES

Everyone who ever rode in one of the old-time one-cylinder cars will still remember how, each time that big cylinder fired, the car was given a distinct "kick" along the road while the engine parts were felt—and heard—trying to come up thru the floorboards. With the succeeding two-cylinder cars this experience was somewhat ameliorated, for each cylinder was half as large as formerly and the kicks were half as acute and twice as frequent, while the engine parts somewhat neutralized each other's struggles to break thru the crank case. These were engines designed to run at 400 or 700 revolutions per minute and if they ever could have turned over much faster than this would have wrecked themselves and their surroundings. The reduction of the force of each impulse and of the weight and disturbing force of each engine part made the "kicks" practically imperceptible. Even when this point had been reached there were designers who felt that the ideal had not yet been attained and so the cylinders of the four were cut in two to make the eight and those of the six to make the 12—the V arrangement being adopted to secure even firing, spacing and engines of reasonable length. In the eight and 12 the impulses are extremely subdivided and multiplied so greatly that two cylinders are used, require but very small cylinders used, require but small and light moving parts, the net effect of the forces acting in which is very slight in causing vibration. Such engines are usually capable of running at least 3,000 revolutions per minute. The engines of this type in given the latest answer of the designer to the problem of suppressing the "kick" of the internal combustion motor, of abolishing external jarring due to the motions of the parts and of realizing, to the utmost the advantages of high rotative speed.

What has become of the old-fashioned peace league?

### WINTER SALES OF MOTOR SHOWS A BIG INCREASE

The average automobile dealer today, says Vice President D. E. Wilson of Hiram Motor corporation, is making a good profit on his inventory. In the early days, possibly because the business was new and there were no established precedents or plans to guide them, many dealers had difficulty in breaking even, or lost out on the venture.

Your dealer today shows keen judgment in the selection of the different makes of cars. He has learned from experience—dear experience—to gauge the wishes and requirements of the motor-buying public.

The Hiram Motor corporation, like numerous other makers, has been working under this policy for some time, and it is a welcome protection to both dealers and owners, who heretofore never knew at what moment they might suffer a loss in value thru a change in the model or the car they were selling or driving.

The winter season is fast losing its ability to check the sales of cars during its reign. Good roads have had much to do with the increased use of the motor car during the cold season, as has also the use of winter tops and inclosed bodies. The dealers are helping eliminate the break formerly caused in winter time aside from the sale of pleasure cars in the handling of some one in which a commercial car is included, for the motor driven vehicle is by far of greater benefit to its owner or operator in the winter time than at any other season of the year, as it can travel slippery and treacherous ice and snow covered streets with the swiftness and ease with which it travels the same road when the sun is shining brightly, which is not the case with the horse drawn vehicle.

The Chevrolet distribution centers form a network covering the globe. The domestic and Canadian sales zones radiate from New York city, Flint, St. Louis, Kansas City, Minneapolis, Oakland, Dallas, Atlanta, Red Oak, Iowa. The foreign zones extend over every European and Latin-American country, far into the antipodes and thru the orient to remote Straits Settlement and Hong Kong, South Africa, India, Java and Morocco. The offices of these sales zones are in New York—foreign division headquarters—and the various foreign capitals.

Conservative estimates place the 1917 Chevrolet output at a minimum of 200,000 cars.

### DENY KAISER'S ILLNESS

[By Associated Press Leased Wire.] Amsterdam, April 14, via London.—An official statement issued in Berlin says that all recent reports of the illness of the emperor are unfounded.

### NEAR END OF DOG RACE

[By Associated Press Leased Wire.] Nome, Alaska, April 14.—With Leonard Seppala in the lead, but with the teams of Victor Anderson and Fay Delane following only a few miles behind him, the tenth annual all-Alaska sweepstakes dog team race entered upon its last stage early today. With the departure of three racers from Council 45 miles from the finish at Nome, there was expected to be no more resting for any of the teams.

READ BEACON-NEWS WANT ADS.

### The Power Tire Pump

Among the numerous useful accessories which can be added to a car, there are few of more value than the power tire pump, and it is strange that its adoption is not already universal. Very many of the high priced and even medium priced makes include it in their regular equipment, but still there are a large number that do not. Fortunately, some form of power pump is applicable to any car, no matter how old the model. Nothing need be said about the inconvenience of pumping tires by hand and such hard exertion, followed immediately by a swift drive, is often positively dangerous to health. Even with demountable rims and ready-inflated tires, the no pumping may be required on the road (which is by no means certain), there is the regular periodical inflation to be performed in the garage, and experience shows that this is generally neglected, to the detriment of the tires, unless some more convenient method than hand-pumping is available. Nearly all late models of cars are so designed as to be equipped with a permanently attached power pump, arranged to be driven by gears that take their power from one of the accessory shafts of the engine or other convenient moving part. These pumps occupy but a moderate amount of space under the hood and are equipped with air-hose and pressure gauge and can be put into action simply by stopping the engine and throwing their driving gears into mesh. They are very moderate in price, have been highly perfected and are obtainable in single or multi-cylinder forms. Among the "other forms of power pumps which are offered, is the type which is adapted to be attached to and driven from the forward end of the crank-shaft, or use upon cars to which neither of these types is applicable, there is still the "impulse" tire pump which screws into a spark plug hole and takes its power from the cylinder pressure. Contrary to common belief, these

pumps furnish fresh air and not cylinder gases to the tires. Any kind of power pump is infinitely better than none at all.

### GERMAN LIVING COST EXCEEDS EARNINGS, REPORT

[By Associated Press Leased Wire.] Copenhagen, April 14, via London.—The results of the statistical investigation into the war cost of living in Germany which was conducted in April, 1916, and which are now published show that the cost of the bare necessities of life for families in the lowest wage class materially exceeds their income. This class includes families earning from 100 to 200 marks monthly and their living expenses are put at 232 marks, 5 pfennigs. The deficit the report remarks, has been covered by either drawing on savings or running into debt.

### ANTI-WAR TREATIES COST TEACHER JOB

[By Associated Press Leased Wire.] Chicago, April 14.—Oscar M. H. Heath, a teacher in one of the public high schools of Chicago, has been suspended by Jacob M. Loeb, president of the school board, on account of the issuance of an anti-war treatise in which the teacher attacks the policy of the American government, states that the war is for mercenary gain and not for humanity or liberty and that a league between the nations and a league between the nations is responsible for the entrance of the United States. The suspended teacher said he was having 1,000 of the pamphlets printed for issuance today and asserted that he would be at his place in the schools Monday and would fight the matter in the courts if necessary to retain his position.

Don't think because a word to the wise is sufficient that people will be eager to speak to you.

## THE NEW AUTOMOBILE WATCHMAN The "Perry" Lock Steering Wheel For All Cars



FOR FORD CARS  
Protected by a "Perry" Your Car Cannot Be Stolen. The "Perry" is now its principle are different. When locked the steering wheel will "spin like a top."

A LIBERAL OFFER OF INSURANCE  
To All Users of "Perry" Auto Locks  
We users of "Perry" auto locks we offer a special insurance rate on their theft policies, where they desire to carry this as well as insuring the lock. It is our contention that where the car is "Perry" locked no further insurance is necessary, but for those desiring it we will furnish a Standard Commercial Policy at 15 per cent below the regular premium rate. This will allow the "Perry" Lock Steering Wheel to pay for itself in a short time and after it has paid for itself, it will continue to be a source of revenue as "A dollar saved is a dollar made." For instance, a policy for \$1,000.00, covering theft and fire, would cost at a 5 per cent rate, \$50.00; we allow 15 per cent deduction from this, which is \$7.50, therefore in a little over two years the wheel will pay for itself and you can still continue to carry a theft and fire policy.

The "Perry" lock is recommended by Insurance Companies, Board of Underwriters, Underwriters' Laboratories. It does not conflict with Fire or Police Regulations.

GET YOUR "PERRY" TODAY!  
It means to you—Assurance Against Theft! A Saving in Cash!  
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## Immediate Deliveries!

### Why Wait? Enjoy Your Vellie NOW!

COME and see the new 1917 Vellie Six. Judge for yourself how much more power and beauty it gives you. Ask for a convincing demonstration. After you have tried out the new Vellie Six, have seen evidence of its flexibility and power, have felt luxury of high-grade leather and curled hair upholstery, you will agree that our claim **Bigger, Better, More Power** is an assured fact.

# Vellie

Touring Car is larger, roomier and more graceful than ever. Timken axles front and rear—a more powerful Vellie-Continental motor, multiple disc clutch, push button starter. Everything in and on. Read the features.

### Vellie Biltwel Features

Six-cylinder Vellie-Continental Motor  
Timken Axles front and rear  
Removable Cylinder Head for inspection  
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Spiral Gears in Floating Rear Axle  
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All Wires Enclosed in Metal Conduits

Rear Gasoline Tank—Vacuum Feed  
Simple Rocking Gear Shift Lever  
Luxurious Body, 4 inches longer  
Unusually Wide Doors—easy to enter  
High-Grade Leather Upholstery  
Cushions Deep Tufted—Real Curled Hair  
Long, Flexible Underlaid Springs  
Expanding Tire Holder—no Straps  
Mirror Body Finish—20 Operations Deep  
Light of Weight—Economical of Fuel  
Everything in and on—ready for the road

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## The Studebaker SIX

### —As to Quality

For sixty-five years the name Studebaker has stood for honorable dealing with the public.

Studebaker has put into its product the most careful and experienced workmanship and the best materials that money can buy.

These combined with time honored honesty are the things that make quality.

In the Studebaker Six, quality is present in the material, deep in the vital parts where it is revealed by years of durability and by silent, smooth running efficiency.

There is further evidence of Studebaker quality which you can plainly see.

Compare its beautiful paint and varnish work with that of any car on the market.

Compare the quality of its genuine leather upholstery with that of cars costing \$2000 or over.

Note the high grade, leather bound crimson carpet in the tonneau, the genuine, pin tumbler Yale ignition lock.

Note the heavy gauge crown fenders, the beautiful head lamp mountings.

These are outward evidences of quality, but the real quality in Studebaker cars is that which meets emergencies, the life giving "factor of safety" which is splendid insurance for you to buy.

Come in and let us show you point by point the evidences of Studebaker quality.

Let us convince you that to equal the Studebaker in quality you have to pay many hundreds of dollars more.

It is well worth your while to investigate.

### LaSalle Street Garage

18-20 S. LaSalle Street

**Four-Cylinder Models**

|                        |       |
|------------------------|-------|
| FOUR Roadster          | \$945 |
| SIX Touring Car        | 965   |
| FOUR Landau Roadster   | 1150  |
| FOUR Every-Weather Car | 1165  |

All prices f.o.b. Detroit

**Six-Cylinder Models**

|                     |        |
|---------------------|--------|
| SIX Roadster        | \$1250 |
| SIX Touring Car     | 1250   |
| SIX Landau Roadster | 1350   |
| SIX Touring Sedan   | 1750   |
| SIX Coupe           | 1750   |
| SIX Limousine       | 2000   |

All prices f.o.b. Detroit



## SOME CHEVROLET ADVICE ON CARS

Use the Same Care You Would  
in Picking Man, Manager  
W. C. Sills Says.

Dependability should come first. At  
the heart of design is not  
to be ignored.

By W. C. SILLS  
(General Sales Manager Chevrolet  
Motor Company.)

Choose a car with the same care  
as you employ a man. When you  
employ a person you ask for recom-  
mendations, for a statement that will  
help to identify him, to be able to  
judge his worth to you.

You cautiously investigate his re-  
cord, his reputation with former em-  
ployers, his reliability in past per-  
formance of duty. You are particular  
about his appearance. If he gives  
you a bad impression at first he may  
never have another chance. You are  
anxious to secure the best man avail-  
able for your need.

Your car should be selected with  
the same care. In the beginning,  
however, keep in mind that no single  
car is the only good car. No car is  
the best in the world.

Get Reliable Car.  
There are many cars of acknowl-  
edged reliability in make and per-  
formance, and hence you should  
judge a car by the known reliability  
of the maker.

See a car built by a company of  
acknowledged financial standing. In-  
quire of the extent of its equipment,  
of its reputation. It is safe to as-  
sume that only a successful car can  
create a large and sustained demand  
from the public.

There is wisdom in the public state.  
Find out how the average owner re-  
gards the car you intend buying.

You should buy a car that your  
wife and children will feel proud of  
—a car with a good name.

You cannot be too scrupulous in  
your choice for when you purchase  
an automobile you make an import-  
ant investment.

Put Dependability First.  
Buy a well-balanced car—a car in  
which equal attention has been given  
to mechanical dependability and good  
looks. Buy in judgment, let mechanical  
dependability come first, for without  
it you will be helpless.

A beautiful exterior is something  
to feel proud of. But it will not help  
you in case your car breaks down on  
the road. It is good business sense  
to buy a car that is right mechan-  
ically as well as artistically.

After you have made your pur-  
chase be careful how you start. In  
the beginning, read minutely the in-  
structions furnished with the car.

Have confidence in yourself and  
your ability to master the knowledge  
of driving. Learn in the beginning  
the functions of the motor, clutch and  
transmission. Know how the power  
is delivered to the rear wheels.

Study Each Lever.  
Know what each lever will do.  
Study the use of each instrument on  
the dashboard. Learn thoroughly the  
principles of motoring. There will  
be found simple, make your first  
lessons when there is little traffic,  
and as you increase in knowledge and  
practice, venture in busy streets.

Keep your eyes in front of you. Do  
not endeavor to speed. Go slowly.  
Forget everything but the car. In  
learning to drive exercise care. Do  
not get nervous. This leads to con-  
fusion.

Hold your feet ready on the clutch  
and brake pedals. This adds con-  
fidence. Hold the steering wheel  
lightly. Stop easily. Start and stop  
gradually.

Treat your car as a piece of machinery,  
and as such, is entitled to care and  
attention. For the moment regard it  
as a horse.

Treat Your Car With Care.  
As a horse needs care and atten-  
tion regularly, so does an automobile  
need care and attention.

The fair man treats his car with  
consideration. You would not expect  
a horse to go 48 hours without food  
and expect him to do good work, and  
you should not demand proper per-  
formance of your automobile without  
due attention.

Do not expect results if your motor  
has no oil, or if you have neg-  
lected lubrication. Always remember  
that your automobile is a piece of  
machinery and that it needs care and  
attention.

Attention on your part guarantees  
a long life to your car and will save  
repair bills. Do not abuse it at any  
time. It is a good rule to go over  
your machine once a day. See to it  
that you have plenty of gasoline, oil  
and water. If you will do these  
things your car will reward you with  
faithful, consistent service.

Your car is giving good service  
when you can forget about it in  
travel.

It should give the utmost comfort  
and ease in riding.

Give Due Attention.  
You should see a service man when  
you notice an unusual noise or a  
grinding, binding, or when your car  
does not seem free in running. A  
good driver is a good listener. The  
adage "A stitch in time saves nine"  
holds especially true here.

Select for your work men who  
know your car. Do not take it to  
strange places.

When your car is sick, have it at-  
tended to promptly. Isn't it the way  
you would do if you were ill?

## SEEK TO CALM GERMANS

Amsterdam, April 14, via London.  
12:45 p. m.—The military section of the  
Vossische Zeitung of Berlin writes  
that he has received many letters  
which prove that the nerves of many  
readers are beginning to give way.  
He dwells on the "unfounded" ex-  
citement which he states is spread-  
ing among those at home and warns  
the public not to judge the situation  
from single events but to take events  
as a whole into consideration.

## TURKS AGAIN BEATEN

(By Associated Press London Wire.)  
London, April 14, 4:04 p. m.—The  
Turks have sustained another defeat  
at the hands of the British in Mes-  
opotamia. The war office announces  
that the Turks are in retreat after a  
battle in which they suffered heavy  
losses.

## MULTI-CYLINDER ENGINE USED IN THE LEXINGTON

With the development of higher  
speed in automobile engines, engi-  
neers soon discovered that the gain  
in horsepower was being obtained at  
the expense of lowered efficiency per  
cylinder.

Recent announcements such as the  
increased number of valves and the  
Moore multiple exhaust system show  
that engineers are seeking ways to  
bring the multi-cylinder engine back  
to theoretical efficiency.

The root of the trouble is the phe-  
nomenon known as trapped gases.  
The multi-cylinder engine came into  
use because of the overlapping power  
periods. But the exhaust periods must  
overlap also, and in overlapping they  
fall to exhaust completely.

At modern engine speeds the ex-  
haust valve is open for an almost in-  
conceivable small fraction of a sec-  
ond. The increasing of the valve  
area is one means of facilitating the  
egress of the burnt gases.

The Moore multiple exhaust sys-  
tem, which is an exclusive feature of  
the Lexington Motor Car, pro-  
vides two exhaust manifolds and two  
mufflers, and by alternating the ex-  
haust between these two manifolds,  
every cylinder has a clear track in  
the manifold during the whole ex-  
haust period.

This simple expedient increases the  
brake horsepower of the Lexington  
engine as much as 22.5 per cent at  
2,400 r. p. m. That is a real solu-  
tion of the problem of trapped gases  
is proved by the fact that the gain  
in horsepower when the Moore sys-  
tem is used increases as the engine's  
speed increases.

Trapped gases naturally give least  
trouble at low speeds.

As a result of enabling every cylin-  
der to completely exhaust and refill  
Moore Manufacturing company divi-  
sion with a fresh charge, greater power  
is obtained with less fuel. At the  
time the engine gives greater power  
at ordinary driving speeds, hence  
greater usable power and better hill  
climbing ability.

The Moore multiple exhaust sys-  
tem, while it is the outstanding fea-  
ture of the 1917 Lexington, is only  
one of many refinements and unusual  
features of the car.

## What Is Average Expense of Operating Motor Car?

For Three Types of Autos—\$500, \$1,200 and \$2,500—Proper  
Costs With and Without a Chauffeur Are Given

The cost of running three different types of automobiles, based on \$,000  
miles a year or 500 a month, is shown below:

|               | \$500 Car                        | \$1,200 Car                      | \$2,500 Car                      |
|---------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Cost per mile | First Second to year, fifth year | First Second to year, fifth year | First Second to year, fifth year |
| Tires         | 33 1.38 2.50 1.50                | 33 1.38 2.50 1.50                | 33 1.38 2.50 1.50                |
| Gasoline      | 35 1.42 2.58 1.54                | 35 1.42 2.58 1.54                | 35 1.42 2.58 1.54                |
| Oil           | 12 .50 .90 .55                   | 12 .50 .90 .55                   | 12 .50 .90 .55                   |
| Repairs       | 12 .50 .90 .55                   | 12 .50 .90 .55                   | 12 .50 .90 .55                   |

### TOTAL ACTUAL RUNNING COST

|  |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Without chauffeur, etc.                      | 1.50   | 3.00   | 2.47   | 5.00   | 2.92   | 5.90   |
| Cost of running, per month                   | 9.00   | 18.00  | 14.82  | 30.00  | 17.52  | 35.40  |
| Monthly with chauffeur                       | 98.00  | 105.40 | 102.25 | 118.00 | 104.60 | 119.50 |
| Chauffeur and garage, with washing (monthly) | 118.00 | 126.00 | 127.00 | 140.00 | 132.00 | 147.00 |
| No chauffeur, but with garage (monthly)      | 25.00  | 35.00  | 37.00  | 50.00  | 42.00  | 57.00  |

## FARMER KILLED UNDER AUTO

(By Associated Press Local Wire.)

Decatur, Ill., April 14.—Emory riding overturned.

Seaton, aged 20, a farmer, died to-  
day of injuries received Friday night  
near Edinboro, Christian county,  
when the automobile in which he was  
riding overturned.

## Your FORD Made To Run Like New—

Why waste your time and lose your temper trying to  
doctor up your old motor when we will rebore same, fur-  
nish and fit new pistons, piston rings and bushings, for  
\$12.00, which will make your engine as good as new?

We have the only genuine reboring machine in the  
Fox river valley and guarantee all work. Phone, write or  
call for pamphlet describing the benefits derived from re-  
boring.

Phone Chicago 393

**Messenger & Parks Mfg. Co.**

## TO SETTLE WAGE

(By Associated Press Local Wire.)

New York, April 14.—Definite re-  
sults early next week from the con-  
ference there between local operators  
and miners in the central bituminous  
fields were forecast today when an-  
nouncement was made that the wage  
demands of the 235,000 workers in-  
volved would be placed in the hands  
of a sub-committee. The latter will  
be made up of 18 men, two repre-  
senting the employers and two the  
miners in each of the states of Ohio,

Illinois, Indiana and Western Penn-  
sylvania. The personnel of this  
committee will be announced later.

Y. M. C. A. Campaign.  
(By Associated Press Local Wire.)  
Monmouth, Ill., April 14.—A one-  
week whirlwind campaign to raise  
\$12,000 for a new Y. M. C. A. build-  
ing here came to a successful close  
last evening when subscriptions  
amounting to \$12,538 were secured.  
Three pledges for \$2,500 each were  
received but the rest of the donations  
were in small amounts.

READ REACON-NEWS WANT ADS



## Don't Pay Too Little—Nor Too Much!

Can you afford to buy a small, "cheap Six," when for a slight  
additional cost you can drive a car which is more powerful, more  
capable of more solidifying, Distinction, Style and Comfort?

**\$985 Elgin Six \$985**

5-Passenger Touring "The Car of the Hour"

Can you afford to pay more than the Elgin Six price when  
this "Beauty of the Road" embodies in such full measure the Power, Speed, Ef-  
ficiency and Economy desired by the discriminating and experienced motorist?

**SPRINKEL BROS.**

122-126 South Lake St. Aurora, Ill.

**APRIL** showers many times  
bring with them a cold-dampness which  
is dangerous to the health. A coal fire means  
a dry house and insures the well being of  
every member of the family.

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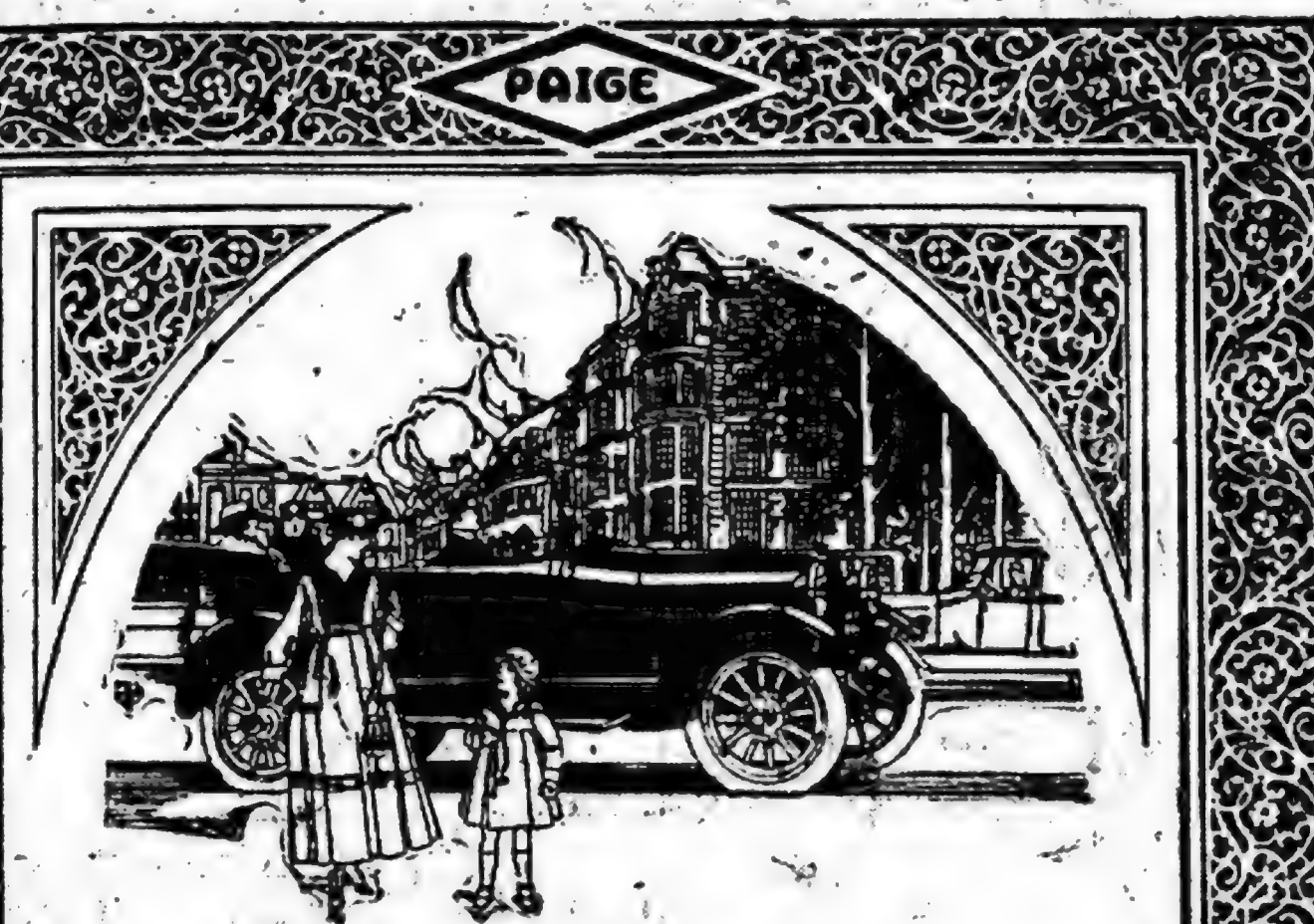
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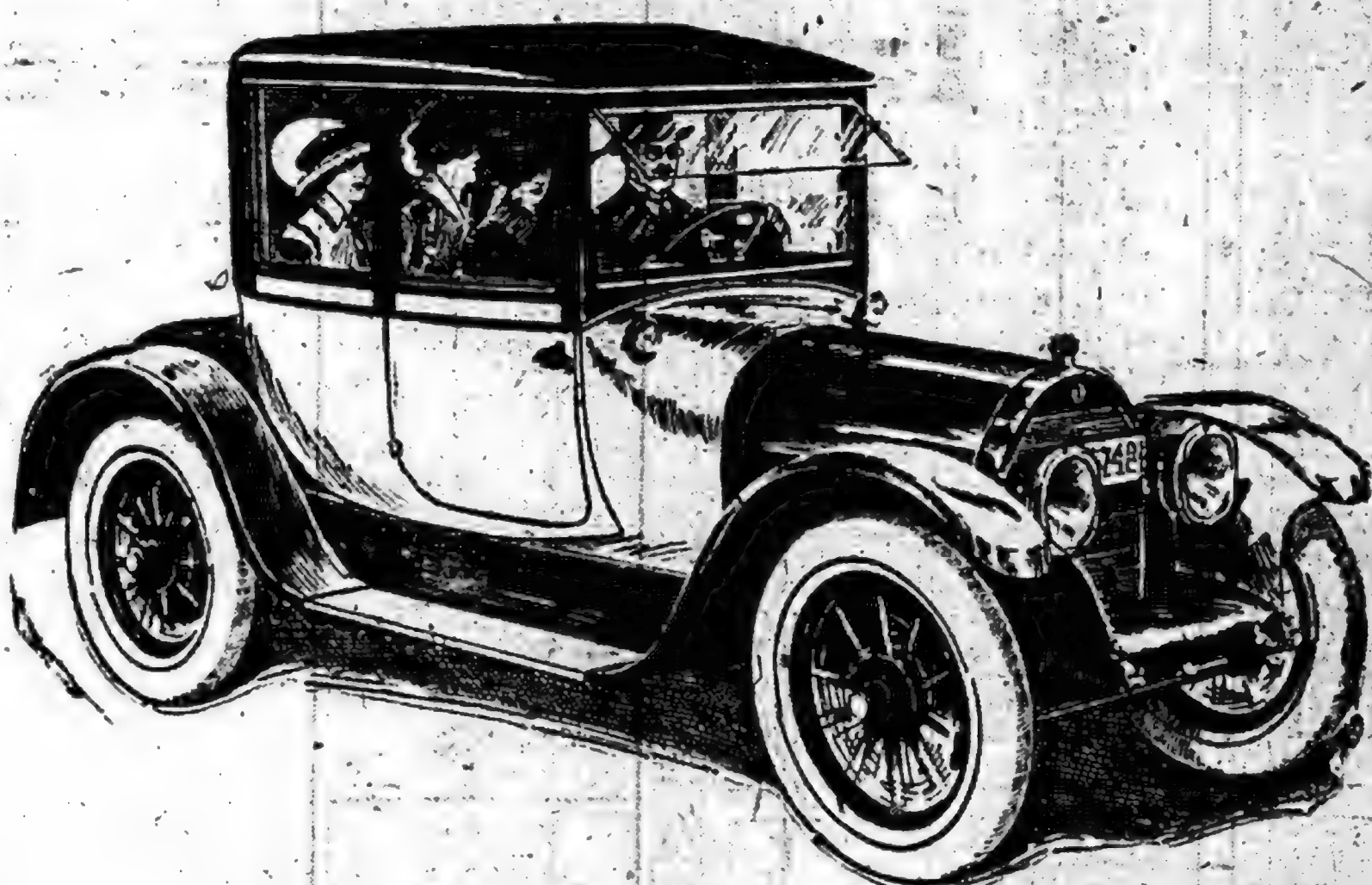
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Every Month.

Washington, D. C., April 7.—For the family which wishes to keep poultry for home consumption, rather than for the market, the so-called general-purpose breeds are better suited than what are known as the egg-laying breeds. Plymouth Rocks, Wyandottes, Rhode Island Reds and Orpingtons are all good varieties for the average person who does not intend to go into the poultry business on a considerable scale. These breeds are good layers and they also make good table poultry. Furthermore, they will hatch their own eggs and brood their own chickens, whereas the egg-laying class do not sit, and the use of expensive incubators and brooders is necessary in order to perpetuate these flocks.

**Give Plenty of Space.**  
The prime essentials for a small poultry house are fresh air, dryness, sunlight and space enough to keep the birds comfortable. For the general-purpose breeds about 4 square feet of floor space should be allowed for each bird. The fowls should also have as much outside space as possible to run in. If this area is too small the ground quickly becomes foul and in time makes it difficult to rear chickens with good success. In order to avoid foulness it is advisable to divide the lot and to sow part of it to the quick-growing grains such as oats, wheat, or rye. The fowls are turned onto the growing grain when it is a few inches high. Under this method the yards may be changed every three or four weeks during the growing season. A combination that has proved successful consists of six or seven bushels of equal part of oat and wheat to the acre, wheat alone being used for the last seedling in the fall. For the convenience of those who have only small areas at their disposal it may be stated that an acre contains 43,560 square feet.

To secure a satisfactory number of eggs the fowls should be fed both a dry mash and a scratch ration. The dry mash may consist of equal parts of corn meal, bran, middlings and beef scrap. This should be kept before the birds in a hopper all the time. A good scratch ration is made up of equal parts of corn, wheat and oats, fed in a litter 4 to 5 inches deep, twice daily. It is desirable that the birds should eat about as much of this as of the mash. This means feeding about one quart of mixed grain daily to 12 Plymouth Rock hens or to 14 Leghorns, and an equal weight of mash. Usually waste table products will also be available, and these may be made up into a moist mash in place of the dry mash. In this case the table scrap, if it contains much meal, is substituted for the beef scrap. If it does not contain any considerable portion of meal it should merely be added to the dry mash already described.

## ENGLAND SOLE OBSTACLE TO GERMAN PEACE PLAN

(By Associated Press Special Wire.)  
Copenhagen, April 14, via London.—Peace within two months and a half is predicted by the Copenhagen correspondent of the Danish socialist press, who confirms the reports of unofficial negotiations between Russian and German socialists, as against the diplomatic denials in the socialist newspapers here and in Berlin.

The first negotiations, says the correspondent, who is a socialist member of the Danish parliament, were broken off, enabling two papers to launch a denial that they were in progress, but they were immediately resumed and are being prosecuted vigorously. The correspondent then enters into a discussion of peace terms.

"I am assured from an absolutely trustworthy source," he says, "that Germany is ready to restore Belgium and Serbia, evacuate France and with Russia arrange an agreement with the Dardanelles. An agreement is also possible on the Polish question as the Russian government knows."

The correspondent pictures England as the sole obstacle to peace.

## RAILROADS TO RELEASE COAST VESSELS FOR U. S.

(By Associated Press Special Wire.)  
Washington, April 13.—Plans to release for government use many coastwise vessels on both the Atlantic and Pacific seaboard are under way among the chief railroads.

Through the council of national defense the government has required the roads to so rearrange their schedules and facilities as to permit these releases. Many of these ships probably would be used in the transportation of foodstuffs and supplies to the government's fleet of wooden vessels, the first of which will be ready in about five months.

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## OSWEGO

Miss Agnes Shubert, Miss Pauline Pearce and Robert Gatas have been enjoying a week's vacation from school duties at Northwestern university.

Miss Sara Pearce was hostess to the members of the H. K. club at the home of her brother, L. G. Pearce, Tuesday afternoon. The time was spent with needlework and tempting refreshments were served.

There was an interesting meeting of the men's club of the Congregational church last Monday evening. Attorney Ernest Batten of Chicago spoke on "Single Tax" following which there was a social hour with lunch and a smoker. About 50 members were in attendance.

The last entertainment of the course was held Thursday evening at the Presbyterian church and was a home talent number and was excellent in every particular. Readings from "Daddy Long Legs" were given by Miss Martha Wylie of Plainfield, a reader of ability. There were selections by a sextet. Mrs. J. L. Croushore sang and Miss Olive Pearce furnished piano numbers.

Thursday afternoon, April 5, a committee of the philanthropic department of the Nineteenth Century club, Neudames Mary Barker and Minnie Trill with Martha White for chairman, gave an enjoyable affair to club members and their guests. The instrumental music was furnished by Miss Rachel Hayward of Aurora, who charmed the ladies by playing several selections for their enjoyment. Mrs. Morse gave two vocal solos, "Don't You Mind the Sorrows" and "Softly the Wind Sings Tonight."

The speaker, Mrs. Wilhelmina Barr, of Chicago, gave an interesting talk about the Travelers Aid League of which she was a member until a year ago, when her health prevented her staying in the work that meant so much to her, telling of different members, among them being Kate Adams, who has been heard here, and

who told of her work, and the originator of the Kate Adams law. Another was an old gentleman, Joseph Smith, who did so much for children and young people. Another one was the founder of the Kiwanis club, a woman so interested in philanthropic work and the great amount of good

this club had done for humanity in many different ways. Mrs. Barr is a much loved and respected person, who has been with the club on several different occasions. Lunch was served by the committee from an Easter decorated dining table. The next meeting will be April 19. "The

Empire of Manito" will be the topic. A speaker has been engaged. The committee invites any one to come who wishes. They will be welcome. This will be the last regular meeting of the club year.

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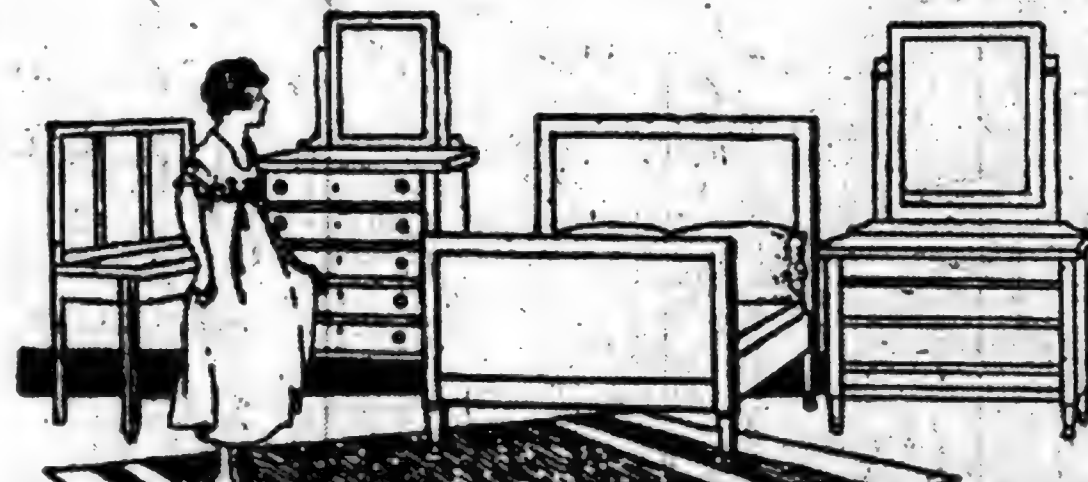
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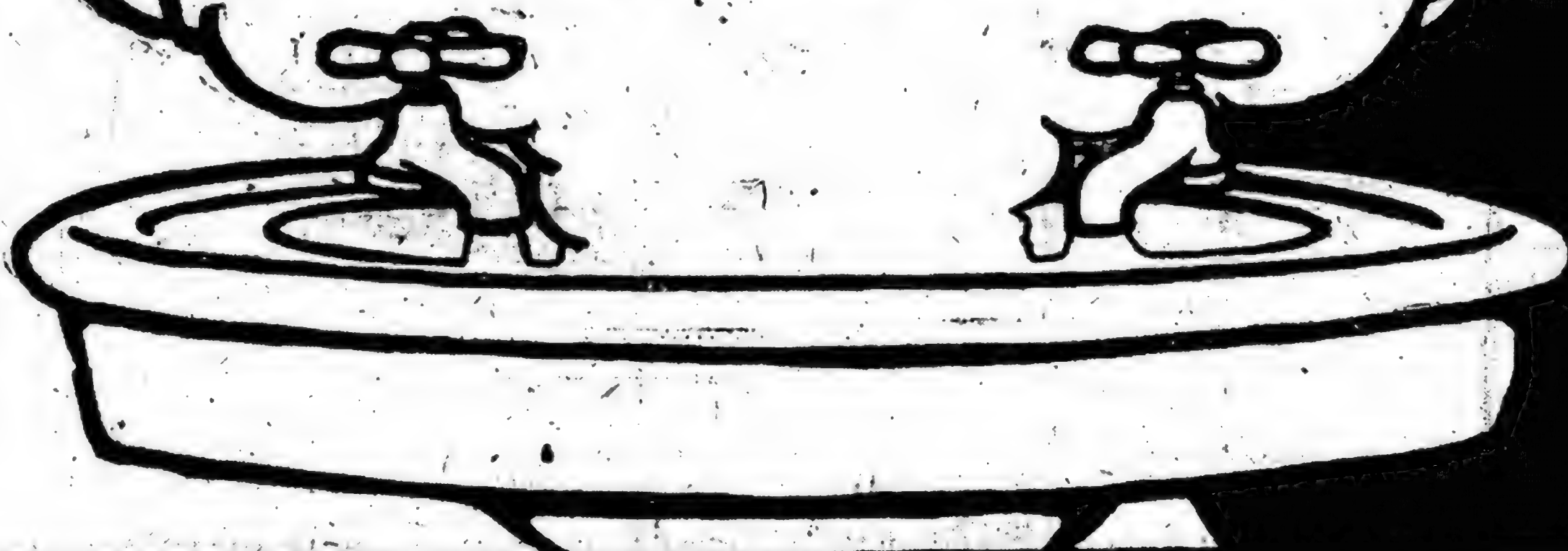
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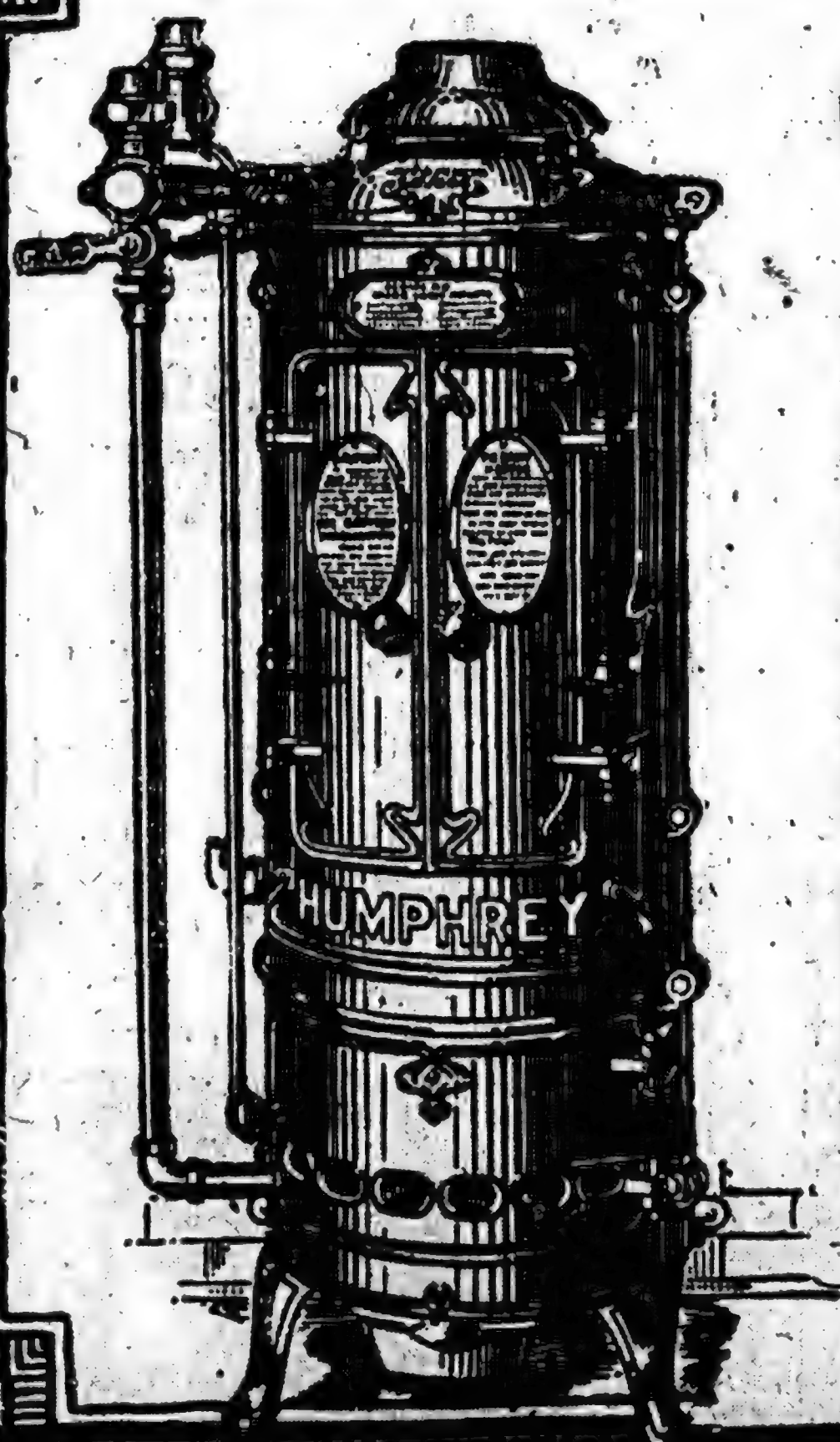
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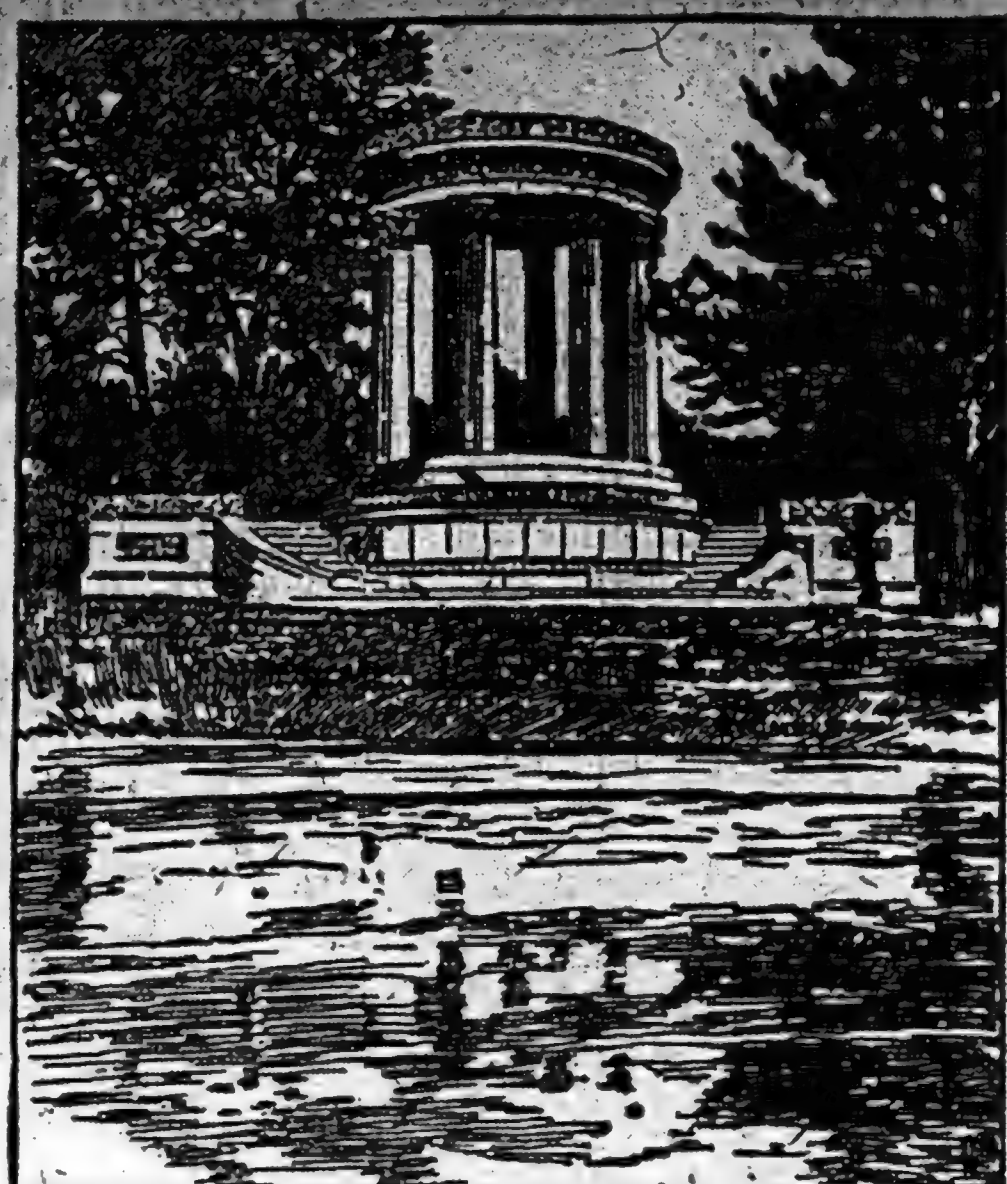
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The beautiful memorial to Mary Baker Eddy, the discoverer and founder of Christian Science, has been turned over to the Christian Science board of directors by Elbert R. Barlow of New York city who held the contract for its construction.

The memorial, which is at Mt. Auburn cemetery, Cambridge, Mass., has required over a year and a half to complete. The fund for its construction, amounting to over \$150,000, was first announced by the directors in June, 1911, and was some time ago fully subscribed. These contributions have been made as expressions of sentiment by the Christian Scientists throughout the world.

The site on which the memorial is located is not only one of great natural beauty, but on account of its grade has rendered possible a more picturesque and interesting treatment architecturally than would be possible on a perfect level lot. The plot, which is approximately 80 feet square, slopes gradually from the level of the roadway to the lake with a drop of about ten feet. The memorial consists of a circular open colonnade of eight columns, resting upon a stylobate of three steps, surrounded on the front by a circular platform slightly above the natural grade, from which platform a double flight of steps leads to a lower platform at the lake's edge. The scheme has no prototype and is merely a screen of columns open to the sky, enclosing a flower-grown circle.

The material used for the memorial is Bethel white granite, the inscription in the frieze and upon the top of the pylons being of white bronze set deep into the stone work. The detail, which on account of the size of the reproduction is only indicated, is entirely floral in form and free in treatment, the wild rose and the morning glory being used as the main motives. It is interesting architecturally to note that while it is extremely free in treatment and not at all conventional, it is generally very classic in feeling. The extreme width of the memorial is about fifty feet, and the colonnade is eighteen feet in diameter. The columns themselves are 18 feet in height and are similar in general character to those in the Clwydian of Antinous of Cyrrhus. The large pylons were exhibited at the American Institute of Architecture in New York a short time ago and experts pronounced them the finest pieces of carved granite ever executed.

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## LET PATRIOTISM

### BEGIN IN THE HOME

Not Necessary for All to Desert the Plow for the Musket and Navy Gunners.

U. S. Bulletin Warns Lacking Support of Nation in Corn, Hops and Farm Products.

Washington, April 14.—In emergency it may be necessary for some patriots to smother the oxen and leave the plow standing in the furrow, but the lasting support of a nation requires efficient patriots to keep the plows going. The soil supports the corn; corn supports animals; and animals support man. Let us properly care for the plow that lays the golden egg. Whether corn prices are high or low, the farmer's profit depends on obtaining large acre yields. Large acre yields reduce the expense of both labor and seed. It is remarkable that acre yields are increasing rapidly in the states southeast and the states north and west of the corn belt states. These increased acre yields are largely due to earlier and thicker planting of better seed corn. Unnecessary losses from planting poor seed corn are diminishing as it becomes more fully realized that neither frosts nor droughts can exterminate acclimated varieties if sufficient seed be saved from good crops to last until another good crop is obtained. Good seed corn will retain its powers of germination and production for four or five years.

In the central and southern states, the scarcity of soil moisture in the middle of the summer reduces the corn crop more than all other causes combined. The best assurance of a good corn crop is to get moisture into the soil in as large quantities and to as great depths as possible. To allow weeds, alfalfa, rye or other plants to grow during the spring upon land to be planted to corn is to invite failure of the corn crop. To allow the soil to become dry enough in the spring before plowing to break up in big clods is to invite failure of the corn crop. If the plowing has been delayed until spring, the land should be disked before it has a chance to become too dry to plow. Disking is more rapid and should be done before the plowing in order to keep the ground from becoming too dry. Deep plowing should not be done in the spring. If followed by drought, it causes the land to dry out to greater depths than would result from shallow plowing. Later Plantings to Reduce Loss. The main corn planting is now completed in the south. When this main planting begins to form ears, the occurrence of a drought will ruin the crop unless a good supply of moisture has been stored in the subsoil. To reduce the chances of loss from drought, one or more later plantings should be made. Summer droughts are sometimes broken in time to allow later plantings to yield well. Good seed corn should be in readiness to make these later plantings as promptly as possible should drought or floods injure the early plantings. C. P. HARTLEY, in charge of corn investigations, U. S. department of agriculture. It isn't work that kills. It's the worry caused by having to work that increases an undertaker's bank balance.

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## FATHER HEANEY DIES

(By Associated Press Local Wire.)  
Peoria, Ill., April 14.—The Rev. Father James P. Heaney, pastor of St. Mary's Catholic church, at Mendota, Ill., who went into the burning shaft of the Cherry mine during the disaster several years ago to give the last sacraments to dying miners, died suddenly of hemorrhage at his home shortly after 7 o'clock this morning. The Rt. Rev. Bishop Dunne of Peoria diocese was notified directly afterward. Father Heaney was a cousin of Archbishop Hanna of San Francisco, who is expected to attend the funeral at Mendota Wednesday morning.

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## TEUTON FOOD CONFERENCE

(By Associated Press Local Wire.)  
Amsterdam, April 14, by London, noon.—Under the presidency of Count Cserail, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, a conference was held in Vienna Thursday and Friday between representatives of Germany and Austria-Hungary, at which questions concerning the provisioning of both countries were discussed, according to a Vienna telegram today. An amicable agreement was reached, says the message which "gives a full guarantee that the supply of foodstuffs for the monarchy and for Germany will be fully covered from the available stocks up to the next harvest."

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A handsome new waist of fine quality voile, long sleeves with large collar. Entire front is nicely embroidered, collar is lace trimmed. All sizes up to and including 46 bust. An excellent \$1.50 value. Monday's exceptional bargain \$1.00

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An all over middy dress, made of an excellent quality percale, full length, short sleeves, large square collar and pockets, has laced middy style front. In Copenhagen blue, shell pink, and neat black and white effects. All sizes. On sale 55c Monday only, at each

## 40 inch Mercerized Poplins, per yard 25c

Material is a very fine quality permanent finish mercerized poplin. Fully 40 inches wide. In the following colors: Sky blue, Copenhagen blue, old rose, shell pink and black. Very popular at present for middies, smocks, and one-piece dresses. 25c 40 inches wide. Monday's exceptional bargain, per yard

There will be eager crowds here to take advantage of these great values. If you appreciate grand values you should not fail to be here MONDAY and get your share.

# BOORKMAN'S

Thirty River Street West Side Aurora

Beacon-News Want Ads—Business Bringers



# BEWARE

## Of the Eleventh Hour Campaign Lie!

The favorite method of the sneak and the character assassin is to write and circulate anonymous letters and articles, hence "The Citizen."

Born of a desire to lie, the product of brains whose sole motive is personal gain and power, the people of Aurora have had served up to them innumerable anonymous circulars and "The Citizen."

No names are attached to these scurrilous attacks, though it may be assumed with every show of good reason that they emanated from an office not very far distant

from the City Hall. The management of the People's Independent Party Campaign do not believe that the people of Aurora approve of the campaign methods of Mayor Harley and his managers.

Were the anonymous circulars and "The Citizen" not the plainly evident fiction of disordered and feeble minds, drunk with power and fearful of their loss of power, we might pay particular attention to specific statements in these campaign roorbacks, but we credit the men and women of Aurora with a higher degree of intelligence.

### "THE ISSUE"

We have charged openly and publicly that the City of Aurora during the administration of Mayor Harley has had fastened upon it vicious conditions, that houses of ill-fame have prospered and multiplied both outside the city limits and in our business district. Officers of the city administration have become "hangers on" in such institutions in our business districts, on Fox street and South Broadway. North Broadway has likewise been a favorite location. Gambling houses have prospered and multiplied under the guidance and protection of city administration leaders. The invariable answer of Mayor Harley when these conditions are mentioned has been "If you know about these places, tell me and I will have them stopped." Mayor Harley knew about them all along, and if he didn't, the men who have been entirely responsible for all of Mayor Harley's official acts certainly have known them. If Mayor Harley didn't know of all these of which almost everybody else in Aurora knows, it is certainly time to retire him to private life and get somebody else to act in his place. And if he did know, then time has arrived for the good men and women of Aurora to tell him by their votes that he is unfit and unworthy of their further consideration.

#### The Raise in Taxes.

The anonymous "Citizen" states that "taxes in Aurora have not been materially changed during the last two years." We have maintained and we prove our case by your own tax receipts that the tax rate in Aurora for city purposes only has been increased 26 1/2 per cent in the two years of Mayor Harley's administration. The lying "Citizen" states that "state, county, town and school taxes are higher," and this is true, but it is not the whole truth. We ask every tax payer to look upon the back of his tax receipts for the past two years. He will see that for the taxes of 1914, paid in 1915, the city tax rate was \$1.63 per \$100 of equalized assessed valuation, and that in the taxes for 1916, paid in 1917, the city rate was \$1.83, the garbage rate was 20 cents, and the firemen's pension fund, 3 cents, or a total of \$2.06. The tax assessed under city tax rate in 1914 included all the three items of the 1916 tax rate under one item "city rate," but in Mayor Harley's administration, these have been separated so that the increase would not be so apparent. Just look at your own tax receipt for proof of what we say and of

the untruth of the lying "Citizen."

#### The Raise in Water Rates.

We have charged that the water rates were unjustly and improperly raised. We now refer to the open letter of Mr. Charles S. Kilbourne, the president of the board of public works, an appointee of Mayor Harley, to prove our statements. He says that in 1914, the entire expense of pumping water at the station and the expense of generating electricity for lighting the city was \$55,424.04. But Mr. Kilbourne also stated that the "sale of water in 1914 produced \$60,028.04," in other words the net profit to the city from this department was exactly \$4,604.00, and yet the water rates were increased, despite the fact that the city is not conducting the business for the purpose of making a profit. Mr. Kilbourne in his statement stated that the large users were not paying enough in proportion. If that were the case, then a proper regard for the rights of the smaller users would have required a readjustment of the rates so that the large users would have been required to pay more and the smaller users less. To all who pay for water the effect of the raise in rates is well known. The smaller increases that Mr. Kilbourne mentions do not of course seem to be a large amount in an individual case, to Mr. Kilbourne, but to the men who must pay, it is quite an amount.

#### The Water Shortage.

We have witnessed in Mayor Harley's administration the first instance in the history of the city of the indictment of a city officer for defalcation of city moneys. It was Mayor Harley's business to know the man when he appointed him. When the defalcation was first discovered, Mr. Kilbourne put up his personal check for \$270, figuring this was the amount of the shortage, and the defaulter was retained in office. But the amount of the shortage upon investigation grew larger and larger, until such time that public sentiment became so strong that it was necessary to accept the man's resignation. The Mayor and the President of the Board of Public Works, had tried to keep the matter quiet, as they felt it might hurt politically, but did not consider their larger duty to the public and the city, and immediately removed the man from office. That was not consistent with good politics, viewed from the standpoint of Mayor Harley.

#### The Political Machine.

Despite the fact that Mayor Harley prom-

ised the people two years ago that he would not use his office for political advancement, he and his administration have not kept faith with the people. We all remember the late lamented campaign of John K. Newhall for State Attorney. John K. Newhall has been the self-admitted political boss of the City of Aurora for the past two years. In John K. Newhall's late lamented campaign, all of the City administration politicians bent every energy to insure his election. The city automobiles performed nobly for him throughout the campaign. The late Superintendent of Water Works accompanied him on all his trips throughout the county, and the Mayor spoke in his behalf at an average of about three chicken fries every Sunday.

In the Primary election contest of a year ago, Mayor Harley himself was a candidate and was elected Republican State Central Committeeman and among the candidates for precinct committeemen, were to be found Mayor Harley, Chief of Police McCarty, Superintendent of Water Works LaRue, City Health Officer Schwachtgen (Newhall's family physician), City Inspector Herbert, and other city employees too numerous to mention, and even Frank R. Reid and John K. Newhall, the patron saints of the administration, sought to run, but saw the light and withdrew to save themselves the defeat that their fellow administration men suffered. It was not accident that caused all these city officers to run for these positions.

#### The Saloon Licenses.

During the administration of Mayor Harley the people of Aurora have witnessed the use of the power of the Mayor in other cases to further political ambitions, and for other purposes. Saloon licenses have been juggled, and have been issued to favorites of the administration, solely for the benefit the holders would be to the administration. Applicants represented by the favorite attorneys of the administration have been favored. Applicants whose political influence might be of advantage have been favored as have also applicants who might be of assistance otherwise. The Mayor in his speeches has asserted that he would give \$1,000 to any one who would find a contribution from a saloon keeper on the books of his campaign treasurer, but he has carefully refrained from offering any sum of money to anyone who could prove that Frank Dalton and Joe Poull of Coster, Poull & Warner, have collected money from saloon-

keepers to pay the expenses of the Mayor's campaign for re-election. The Mayor has said the Aurora Brewing company was fighting him, yet Aurora Brewing company saloons contribute to his slush fund. His apology for the vicious Curry saloon in the Hotel Bishop notorious among other things because it provides a place where school children could gamble and get drinks is that "he did not know." He must have knowledge by this time. When this campaign opened he was publicly advised of the fact yet Curry still continues to run this saloon and Curry is a warm supporter of Mayor Harley. Jesse Curry is also the proprietor of a saloon at Galena boulevard and River street. Curry's gambling house was never raided, Curry is a supporter of the mayor. The gambling house above the Senate saloon was recently raided by the State's Attorney but Charlie Spangler still continues in business at the old stand and Charlie Spangler is an ardent supporter of Mayor Harley. "Mattie" Gleason who rides in the Mayor's automobile to all the Mayor's political meetings, Roy Coats and "Bill" O'Brien, all prominent in the gambling fraternity all ardently support their friend "Jim" Harley. The Mayor has had the effrontery to go before the people and complain that he has had to deal with an unfriendly council. Unfriendly solely because it opposed the selection of Mr. LaRue for Superintendent of Water Works and Mr. McCarty for Chief of Police. We leave it to the reader as to whether or not the judgment of the council was vindicated in the case of Mr. LaRue. And as to McCarty, without previous experience, an office associate of Frank Reid, whose sole aim to preferment over men of experience was his very association with Reid.

#### Facts, Not Generalities.

These, men and women of Aurora, are facts, and not such generalities as are dealt in by the lying "Citizen."

The people of Aurora should rise in their might and discredit the methods of Harley, Reid, Kelley, "Mattie" Gleason, Frank Dalton, John Raymond, O'Brien, Newhall, Jesse Curry, Spangler, Peck, Coats, Poull, McCarty, and others of this tribe of designing politicians.

Vote for McCredie and the People's Independent Tickets and let us have honesty, efficiency, economy and ability in city administration.

—PEOPLE'S INDEPENDENT PARTY CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE







## LIVESTOCK, POULTRY AND PETS.

**WANTED—FOR SLAUGHTER, HOGS.**—Residing how heavy, also cattle, especially hogs, light hogs and steers. For River Packing Co. Chicago phone 1117.

**FOR SALE—LARGE MULES.**—\$125 AND \$150 per pair; dark gray horse, \$125; guaranteed as presented. E. Schwab, 110 Palace street. Chicago phone 1117.

**FOR SALE—FIFTEEN STEERS.**—Averaging about 1000 pounds, steers, all of horned. We haven't pasture for them and will sell at a reasonable price. Inter-State phone 1117; Sugar Grove central, phone 1117; Dugan, Sugar Grove, Ill. (11)

**FOR SALE—FOUR BROOD SOWS WITH PIGS.**—From two to four weeks old. Saw breeding sows, several work horses, also with all ages. Will A. Johnson, Sugar Grove, Ill. phone 1117; Sugar Grove central, phone 1117; Dugan, Sugar Grove, Ill. (11)

**FOR SALE—TEAM OF HORSES.**—Four years old, gray horse about year old, gray mare six years old, heavy with feet. Make 21, near Dakota, back 10, clear. (11)

**HORSES, COT IN TWO CAR LOADS.**—Young sound horses all well. North Lake street. (11)

**Pigeons, Poultry and Supplies.**—We will keep them busy laying eggs; makes baby chicks strong and healthy. P. C. Nicholson, west and New York street bridge. (11)

**FOR SALE—200 PIGEONS, CARNEAU.**—and white doves, mostly year old, any pair. 221 Iowa avenue. Chicago phone 2117.

**FOR SALE—SETTING HENS.**—Also Buff Orpington Rhode Island Red eggs by the setting or hundred. Mrs. J. C. Nicholson, west and New York street bridge. (11)

**FOR SALE—PURE BRED WHITE PLYMOUTH ROCK.**—John D. Evans, Sugar Grove, Chicago phone 1117; Sugar Grove central, phone 1117; Dugan, Sugar Grove, Ill. (11)

**Eggs for Hatching and Baby Chicks.**—PURE BRED BABY CHICKS AND EGGS for hatching you want five to ten per dozen. Mrs. Wm. J. Grover, 113 South River street. Chicago phone 2117.

**ANCONAS, THOROUGHS ROSE COMB.**—Ancona eggs for hatching; pure Shampard stock; 11 per 16. Inquire 21 North View street. Chicago phone 2117.

**BABY CHICKS FROM STANDARD BRED Rhode Island Red.**—1,000 eggs under incubation. Wm. J. Grover, 113 South River street. Chicago phone 1117; Sugar Grove central, phone 1117; Dugan, Sugar Grove, Ill. (11)

**FOR SALE—PURE BRED SINGLE COMB Rhode Island Red eggs.**—\$1.00 for 10 or 20 cents for 15. Charles Keeling, 113 South River street. Chicago phone 1117; Sugar Grove central, phone 1117; Dugan, Sugar Grove, Ill. (11)

**FOR SALE—BABY CHICKS, EGGS FOR Hatching.**—and St. Regis ever-bearing raspberry plants. Local Lawn Farm, P. O. No. 2, Aurora. Chicago phone 1117; Sugar Grove central, phone 1117; Dugan, Sugar Grove, Ill. (11)

**HATCHING EGGS FROM MY PRIZE-WINNING White Wyandotte.**—selling, \$1.00, \$2.00 for 50; also one per for sale. Andrew Benson, 214 Morton street, Davis, Ill. (11)

**WHITE WYANDOTTE AND SPECKLED BUCKS.**—eggs for hatching, high grade stock, incubation of eggs invited. 113 South River street. Chicago phone 1117; Sugar Grove central, phone 1117; Dugan, Sugar Grove, Ill. (11)

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## MONEY TO LOAN.

**MONEY TO LOAN ON IMPROVED CITY PROPERTY.**—and farm lands, lowest rate of interest; good terms. Frank H. Hild, 110 Palace street. Chicago phone 1117.

**HAVE \$1,000 TO LOAN ON IMPROVED REAL ESTATE SECURITY.**—Can get loan at once; strictly confidential. If interested, call on Mr. J. C. Nicholson, 110 Palace street. Chicago phone 1117.

**MONEY TO LOAN ON CHATTEL.**—Real estate security, can get loan at once; strictly confidential. If interested, call on Mr. J. C. Nicholson, 110 Palace street. Chicago phone 1117.

**MONEY TO LOAN ON APPROVED REAL ESTATE SECURITY.**—in various sums at current rates. Bargains in real estate. J. C. Nicholson, 110 Palace street. Chicago phone 1117.

**MONEY TO LOAN ON AURORA PROPERTY.**—\$1,000 to \$10,000; farm loans, 1% and 1 1/2%; Warrenton & Baker, insurance loans, abstracts, 60 South Broadway. (11)

## LOANS

**FINANCIAL.**  
on residence property, business property and farms. Money ready. Noble & Son, 110 Palace street. Chicago phone 1117.

## GRARY-JOHNSON CO.

Grain, provisions, stocks. Chas. H. Weber, 110 Palace street. Chicago phone 1117.

## CHOICE FARM MORTGAGES FOR SALE.

These first mortgage loans are first class in every respect and absolutely safe; various amounts. B. H. Miller, 458-7, West LaSalle street. (11)

## FOR THE GARDEN.

ALL KINDS OF GARDEN SEEDS, HORN, can, hose, lawn mowers, grass shears, etc. Wolf-Parker Co., 54-56 South LaSalle street. (11)

## NOTICES.

**ON ACCOUNT OF ILL HEALTH.**—I have disposed of my fee for factory business to my son and Al Weyand, 11 years with Chicago Co. Chicago, requested to make immediate settlement as I am leaving the city. G. F. Hatter, 110 Palace street. Chicago phone 1117.

## TO TRADE.

**TO TRADE—PRACTICALLY NEW \$100 piano for vacant lot.**—outside lot, red. Address 4-N-104, care Deaton. (11)

## PIANO TUNING.

**ED JOLLY, WITH EGEMAN'S & HAY.**—11 years with Chicago Co. Chicago, a player expert, a thoroughly practical man; all work guaranteed. Both phones. (11)

## Social Chatter

**Watch for It—Be on the lookout for the big announcement giving full details and prices of hardy nursery stock for three days next week—Aurora Nursery Co.**

**Next Saturday you can buy strawberry plants in four different varieties at \$1.00 per hundred. Just one of the items in the big sale of home-grown nursery stock selected for the big three-day sale—Aurora Nursery Co.**

## Social Chatter

**"Fine Feathers,"** a drama, will be given by the North Shore Players of Chicago at Our Lady of Good Council hall Sunday, April 15, 8:15 p. m. Admission 40 cents.

**The Bon Ton** served crushed fruits and fruit syrups.

**A most delicious dessert.**—Butter Sweet chocolate sundae at The Bon Ton.

**The very latest desert.**—Tango pine-apple sundae at The Bon Ton.

**"At-Last-A"**—White canvas shoe dressing. Will not rub off. Your shoe store sells it. 25c bottle.

**Miss Palmer's school** of short-hand, 87 S. 4th St. Chi. phone 291-W.

**Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wolf** are the parents of a daughter born at the Aurora hospital. The baby has been named Shirley. Mrs. Wolf was formerly Miss Ida Cohen.

**Mrs. May Scott** entertained the Aurora Thirteen club at her home Friday. Honors at cards were won by Mrs. J. Probert, Mrs. J. Stuart and Mrs. Katherine Collins. Mrs. Gussler read a paper on war conditions. Mrs. Scott served a luncheon later.

**J. F. Leath** of the A. Leath & Co. store in Island avenue was at Joliet Saturday attending the opening of the new Leath store there.

**Dance and social entertainment** given by St. Henry's branch No. 117 on Wednesday, April 18, at their hall in Big Woods. Admission 25 cents.

**Hear Bishop Nicholson** this morning at the First Methodist, 10:30 a. m. Professor Riemenschneider at the organ.

**Clinton F. Irwin Jr.**, son of Circuit Judge C. F. Irwin of Elgin, has taken an examination for chauffeur in the United States army.

**Mayor James E. Harley** will attend the conference at Chicago of all the mayors of Illinois, cities who are to make plans for utilizing all unused land for gardens this year.

**Professor Riemenschneider** will preside at the big organ, First Methodist church today. Three services, 10:30, 2:30, 7:30.

**Mrs. Oscar Osman** of 260 West Park avenue has returned from Kendall and Grundy counties after a six weeks' stay there.

## Social Chatter

**To the Voters of the Fourth Ward.**—As it will be impossible for me to personally meet each voter of the Fourth ward, I take this means of soliciting your support at the polls next Tuesday. I have been a resident of the Fourth ward for nearly 30 years. I stand for law and order and if elected I will serve you to the very best of my ability.—F. A. Lipke, Candidate for Alderman.

**After April 16—Dr. Langhorst** and Lambert will occupy new offices in the Terminal building.

**To Waste Less—**Maude Powell, the world famous violinist, will appear in concert in Aurora on Monday, April 16. She can be heard in your own home every evening in the Victoria in city wonderful selections. Call at the Cable Piano company, 66 South LaSalle street, today and hear them.

**Thursday, Friday and Saturday—Of** next week. Mark the days and get ready for a real sale of hardy nursery stock, shrubs, roses, vines, fruit trees, berry bushes and other stock at nearly five-away prices, most of them less than wholesale. Prices later in this paper.—Aurora Nursery Co.

**Even a tadpole** can boast of his social position, for he is in the swim.

## Social Chatter

**April 17, at 9 p. m.** Ceremony of adoption and any other business that may come before the meeting.—John H. Mackmeyer, V. C. Alex. Rabbis secretary.

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## LOWDEN BUYS TOBACCO FOR BOYS OF SIXTH

**(By Associated Press United Wire.)**  
Springfield, Ill., April 14.—Governor Lowden, learning that there was a tobacco famine at Camp Lowden, where the Sixth Illinois Infantry is quartered, today wrote out a personal check for \$50 and ordered that the men be furnished with the article in quantities. There was general rejoicing when the tobacco arrived at camp.

The governor this morning said he would probably be ready this afternoon to leave his proclamation asking bigger crops on Illinois farms and appealing to men to engage in farm labor in order to meet the threatened food shortage, incident to the war.

## Plant! Plant! Plant!

—Have a vegetable garden this year. Get your seeds immediately. Live economically and live well this summer when war prices will make market vegetables almost prohibitive. Meatless days are coming—you have been warned through the newspapers to prepare for high prices. Are you going to be caught napping?

—Get only the best seeds, otherwise you might as well have no garden, because poor seeds will not repay you for your efforts.

**We Sell Only Seeds of Tested Quality**

**A. J. Erlenborn & Co.**  
24 South River St. Aurora

## ADVERTISEMENT



## ADVERTISEMENT

**The Voters of the First Ward:**

I solicit your vote for alderman of the First ward believing I am qualified to fill the same. I have always believed that an official serving the public should give an honest, efficient, and economic administration and if elected I shall endeavor to see that such is given. I also believe in the strict enforcement of the law. My business calls me personally to every part of the city nearly every day, giving me a better chance to learn what is most needed in the city. I am owner of real estate in this ward and interested in the welfare of the ward and city.

Sincerely yours,  
**L. H. VALENTINE,**  
222 Iowa Avenue.

## ADVERTISEMENT

## Special for Monday Only

**At 91 Fox Street THE ANNEX Near Broadway**  
Wagner's Bargain Basement

**200 pairs Boys' Scout Lace Shoes, made of black or tan Chrome Elk Leather with Oak Leather Soles, \$2.50 values, sizes 1 to 5 1-2.**

**\$1.89 Per Pair**

## Special for Monday Only

**Fashion's latest and most triumphant "stars" in smart women's boots and pumps.**

A revelation in the art of fine shoe making. Expressing in every line, supreme style, individuality and good taste—but priced lower than contemporary values.

**Make their bow to smart femininity tomorrow**

**Boots of ravishing loveliness—shown in a variety of colors and styles not to be duplicated the town over.**

**Pumps of graceful appearance, styles and patterns the most exacting, workmanship none but the best, in fact the most complete line we have ever shown.**

**Boots, \$6.00 to \$14.00  
Pumps, \$3.50 to \$5.50**

**Waegner's**  
"Shoes That Satisfy"  
At 91 Fox Street, Near Broadway

**A Part of Every Transaction Is the Waegner Service of Correct Fitting**

## JOSEPH SIERP

## Specials for Monday, 9 to 10 A.M.

**50c Brassieres 25c**  
**\$1.50 Crepe Street Dresses 69c all sizes**  
**\$12.00 Silk Skirts \$8.95**

**9 o'clock to 10**

**From 10 to 11 O'clock**  
**25c CORSET COVERS, 2 FOR 25c**  
**85c MUSLIN UNDERSKIRTS**  
**58c**  
**\$5 SERGE STREET SKIRTS \$3.95**

**10 o'clock to 11**

**From 11 to 12 O'clock**  
**12 1/2c BEST AMOSKEAG AFRON GINGHAM, 5 YARDS**  
**45c**  
**25c CURTAIN VOILES 9 1/2c**  
**\$12.00 NEW SPRING COATS \$8.95**

**11 o'clock to 12**

**From 1 to 2 O'clock**  
**20c 1 1/2 YARD WIDE TABLE OIL CLOTH, 2 YARDS FOR 29c**  
**12 1/2c 36-INCH U. H. B. MUS. LIN, 5 YARDS FOR 39c**  
**70c MUSLIN GOWNS 58c**

**1 o'clock to 2**

**From 2 to 3 O'clock**  
**\$1.50 FERN SHIRTWAISTS**  
**85c**  
**\$1.00 CHILDREN'S GINGHAM DRESSES**  
**58c**  
**\$1.25 GIRLS' 16, 18 AND 20 SIZE DRESSES 69c**

**2 o'clock to 3**

**From 3 to 4 O'clock**  
**\$1.00 BREAKFAST SETS \$1.25**  
**50c LADIES' GINGHAM SKIRTS 39c**  
**18c CHILDREN'S MUSLIN DRAWERS, 2 FOR 25c**  
**38c CHILDREN'S MUSLIN GOWNS 25c**

**3 o'clock to 4**

**NOTICE THESE SPECIALS CAREFULLY**  
To Every Customer Trading at least 10 or more—5 spoons of Clark's Calfon for 15c—25c.

## Joe Frey Says:

When you boil down some men's actions utterly foreign to your habits you find a purpose back of them quite justifiable.

Science proves that man works for man. Every bend of his arm is for the welfare of his race. And as the mile posts of time flitter by, this co-operation is helping us to better our conditions.

It is called society; the great curer of ills, the father of new hopes and creator of ideals. Society caused the opening of my sea food cafe. Its service is in accordance with time's progress. True, its inception merely scratches the surface of history, but nevertheless, it does its share for the men of its time.

Here men can gather and be sociable. Munching the sea foods offered at my counter acts as a bond of brotherhood; my service does for them what the carnival did for men in days of old. And as every practice of society endured because it was good, so you can know that

**"When You Get It at Frey's, It's Good"**





In the Motion Picture World



ANITA STEWART IN "THE GIRL PHILIPPA"

Movie Notes

**IN "GIRL PHILIPPA"**  
There is nothing lacking in realism in "The Girl Philippa," the special eight-reel Blue Ribbon feature which S. Rankin Drew directed for Vitagraph from the story by Robert W. Chambers.  
In this production, which stars Anita Stewart in the title role and which is the special attraction at the Orpheum theater, one of the characters is attacked in his home. As the two men fly about the room trying to down one another, Miss Stewart in the character of Philippa appears at the head of the stairs.  
Sensing immediately the errand of the intruder, who has come to steal the plans, she rushes madly down to the landing in time to see him knock his captive to the floor. Seeing her coming, he shows plainly that he will tolerate no interference. Nothing daunted, she goes for him, and another struggle ensues. The man on the floor has regained consciousness, and he grabs the other fellow while Philippa reaches for a large brass lamp standing on the newel post of the stairway. Taking quick aim, she throws it at the intruder, who is temporarily stunned.  
Like a whirlwind, the dainty star flies about the room. It is hard to believe that she is only acting, and that her very life does not depend upon victory.

Most of the beautiful interiors are built in the studio workshops and set up on the stages. The walls are built in sections, painted, papered, decorated and put together so skillfully that even the camera is fooled, and when you fool the camera you're going home.

The announcement that the Jesse L. Lasky Feature Play company would make an adaptation of Edward Milton Royle's "The Squaw Man's son," a sequel to his celebrated "The Squaw Man," with Wallace Reid in the title role, brings to light an interesting parallel between Mr. Reid and Dustin Farnum.

A few years ago Dustin Farnum was the hero of such stage productions as "The Virginian," "The Little Rebel," and various others in which a stout heart and a strong right arm were among the specifications for the leading man. Farnum was in fact the real stage actor. He went into motion pictures where he continued to play practically the same type of roles in which he had been so successful on the stage. While a young and good-looking athlete was winning recognition in small parts on the screen until he gradually became a very familiar figure to heroic roles enacted before the camera. The name of V. H. Dace Reid became more prominent until finally he became the central figure in a tremendous fighting scene in "The Birth of a Nation." Reid then joined the Lasky company and became the youthful hero of the numerous screen adventures in its productions.

The first motion picture presented by the Jesse L. Lasky company was "The Squaw Man," in which Dustin Farnum played the title role. Now the same company is preparing the sequel to that story, and Wallace Reid who might almost be called "the sequel" to Dustin Farnum, is to play the part of Hal, the Squaw Man's son.

Beacon-News want ads introduce you to buyers, sellers, tenants, landlords, employers, employees, etc.

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## This is Styleplus We

## from Maine to California

The price remains the same!

Leading merchants the nation over are this week featuring Styleplus Clothes \$17. Today more than ever before this price stands out to the nation. The Style, and the Quality of these clothes, and their Guarantee of Satisfaction have created a new standard of value at \$17 from Maine to California!

**Styleplus \$17**  
The same price the nation over (Price in Cuba \$22)

By contracting for great quantities of cloth at the outbreak of the war, by doubling their output and so decreasing their costs, by their scientific plan of concentrating on this one-price suit, the makers have effected great economies and kept the price the same. The same style in the fabrics—all wool or wool-and-silk. The same honest, sincere workmanship throughout. The same smooth fit and splendid wear. The same guarantee! The same price! Come in and see these clothes today!

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